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CITY OF KINGSTON, N. Y., WEDNESDAY EVENING, JANUARY 7, 1925.

PRICE THREE CENTS.

Aldermen Adopt Budget—City Tax Rate to Be \$35.20

Aldermen Adopt Budget Calling for Raising of \$751,701.64 at Meeting Tuesday Evening—Discuss Duplication of Street Names—Other Matters.

Kingston's tax rate for this year \$35.20 per thousand valuation. This rate was fixed when the common council Tuesday evening unanimously adopted the city budget calling for the raising by tax of \$751,701.64 for all purposes—city, county and state. Last year's budget called for the raising of \$754,011.68 with a tax rate of \$37.14. This year the rate is \$35.20 less than in 1924.

All of the aldermen were present at the regular monthly meeting Tuesday evening with the exception of Alderman Flannery of the Thirtieth ward, who is ill.

The budget was taken up first and unanimously adopted after it had been read by City Clerk A. A. Styles. The request of City Treasurer Harry Jacobs for an appropriation of \$50 for additional clerk hire in his office during the tax collection period was also unanimously granted.

City Maps for Firemen

Alderman J. Philip Belcher who became fire commissioner on the 1st of January, introduced a resolution that the city engineer prepare three or four complete blue prints covering the entire city, working in conjunction with the fire chief, these blue prints to be of a size large enough for framing and to be placed in the three fire houses, the prints to show all fire plugs and fire arm boxes in some distinctive color and where duplication of streets exist it was to be reported to the common council so that action could be taken. It was referred to the board of public works.

Alderman Belcher in explaining his resolution said that there was a duplication of street names in the city. He knew of two High streets, one at either end of the city, and so of several Schermerhorn streets, his duplication of street names made it bad for the fire department when receiving a still alarm over the telephone calling them, for instance, High street. They went to High street only to find it was on High street in the other section of the city where they were needed.

Jog-Up Dwyer Brothers

Alderman Fox of the Fifth ward introduced a resolution that Dwyer Brothers be notified to open ditches on their clay bank on North street so that the clay does not run out over the Willette street. It was referred to the board of public works.

Alderman Fox said he would like to say a few words about the resolution. It was a dangerous condition and the first thing there would be a damage suit and either the Dwyers or the city would have to pay. The Dwyer Brothers should be jogged up once and attend to the matter.

Wants Ambulance Report

Alderman James J. Sweeney of the Third ward asked if the ways and means committee were ready to report on the matter of purchasing a new ambulance for the city, and was informed that the committee had no report ready. Alderman Sweeney then introduced a resolution that the committee report at the February meeting and that the appropriation for a new ambulance be increased from \$2,000 to \$4,000, which was referred to the ways and means committee.

Bus Committee Progress

Alderman Belcher of the bus committee said that the committee reports progress. It was expected to have the new central bus terminal open and doing business in time for a report to be made at the February meeting of the council.

Wants Committee to Investigate

A petition from residents of Lawrence and Lincoln streets was read asking that the common council appoint a committee to visit the streets and see how badly they needed repairs and also that electric street lights were needed. The petition was referred to the board of public works.

Shovel Off Walks

Alderman Belcher introduced a resolution that the board of public works have sidewalks cleaned in the Second ward where property owners are negligent in clearing off the snow and that the cost be charged to the property owners. He also introduced a resolution that a traffic sign be placed at Gage street and Tenthall avenue.

After Auditing Bills the Council

After auditing bills the council adjourned.

PERCY CHARGES

MURDER WITH ASSAULT

John Perry of the town of Albaton arrested Tuesday afternoon at Albaton, by Sergeant Cunningham of the State Troopers, and Deputy Sheriff Anderson V. Blinnworth, on a charge of assault in the third degree. The complainant was Mrs. Mary E. Perry, who was assaulted by John Perry at her home in Albaton. The case was set for trial at the next session of the court.

Negro Held for Brutal Murder

Accused of Shooting Seneca County Farmer as Litter Sat Before His Kitchen Fire—Sheriff Uses Switch Engine to Patrol Railroad.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Syracuse, N. Y., Jan. 7.—Arrested as he "hopped" an east bound New York Central train at the corner of South Franklin and West Washington streets early today, a colored man, giving his name as Charles Baldwin, of New York city, is being held incommunicado at police headquarters for investigation in connection with the murder of John W. Dickinson, thirty-eight, a farmer of Seneca county.

Syracuse police were asked to watch for Baldwin, after a posse had tracked him to two farm houses and finally to Thompson's Station, on the main line of the New York Central, where they believed Baldwin caught an east bound train. A switching engine was brought into play by Sheriff Frank C. Rich, of Wayne county, to patrol the main line within his jurisdiction.

Syracuse police today wired Wayne and Seneca county authorities news of the arrest of the suspect and asked for immediate identification.

Dickinson was shot as he sat at the fire in the kitchen of his home, spreading his hands before the blaze to warm them. The shot severed his jugular vein, an autopsy performed by Coroner C. B. Bacon, of Waterloo, showed.

Dickinson had just returned from Waterloo, where he had taken a truck load of produce. He drove the truck into the barn, waved a greeting to his son, Henry Dickinson, fourteen, who was standing outside with Charles Forjone, eighteen, another farmhand, and ran into the house to warm himself by the stove. Mrs. Dickinson went out to the barn and the farmer was alone in the house.

Baldwin passed young Dickinson and Forjone a moment later, on his way to the farmhouse. He carried a single barreled twelve gauge shotgun. The boys asked him where he got it and he told them that another farmer, Lewis Sims, had given it to him.

"I'm going to show it to your father," Baldwin told Dickinson. He passed on and went to a door on the opposite side of the farmhouse. A moment later a shot rang out. Running around the house, the Dickinson boy and Forjone were just in time to see Baldwin run down the lane, disappearing in the dusk. Mrs. Dickinson joined them and they entered the kitchen. Dickinson was still sitting upright in the chair, but he was dead.

Second Murder In Coal Strike

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Scranton, Pa., Jan. 6.—Steve Freley, 25, a miner, was shot to death while standing with a group of striking miners in front of a store at Old Forge near here, early today. He was the second employee of the Pennsylvania Coal Company to be murdered within 24 hours in this section.

Samuel Spachia was slain at Pittston yesterday. Michael Zona, 42, is held in connection with the death of Freley. The shooting, police say, was the result of a quarrel among some of the idle miners at Old Forge.

The five men arrested yesterday at Pittston in connection with the killing of Spachia will be questioned this afternoon.

Spachia, who is known as Pace among his friends, was secretary of a Pittston mine union. He was returning home from a union meeting when he was shot to death by two men near his residence.

The situation was quiet this morning.

ALBERT HARVEY SUSTAINED

SCALP WOUND COASTING

Albert Harvey, a young lad residing at No. 111 Spring street, sustained a bad scalp wound while coasting on that street Tuesday evening. The city ambulance was summoned and removed the boy to the Kingston City Hospital, and later took him home after his wound had been dressed. Harvey's sled was struck by another sled on the hill.

CATSKILL LODGE WILL

ERECT ELKS' HOME

At a meeting of Catskill Lodge, No. 1241, Independent Protective Order of Elks, held Monday evening, it was voted to purchase a large lot on lower Main street near Greene street, in that village, and erect an Elks' home. The Catskill Elks' Lodge now has a membership of about 400 and is in a most prosperous condition.

Seaman Was Acquitted

John H. Seaman was brought before Justice of the Peace Solomon G. Carpenter of Highland on Tuesday on a charge of using one set of license plates for more than one motor vehicle. He was arrested last week and demanded a jury trial. State Trooper Alfred drove Judge Cross to the trial, which was held at 1:30 p.m. in the afternoon. Judge Cross acquitted the defendant. Seaman was released from the case as acquitted on the 25th.

GOVERNOR SMITH'S ANNUAL MESSAGE.

At today's session of the state legislature Governor Smith read his 30,000 word message, an abstract of which will be found elsewhere in today's issue of The Freeman.

Guess Whose Shadow This Is



This gentleman will see that you are compensated for anything that can happen to you, or yours in this world.

Silhouette No. 13 was that of Nicholas Stock, of Stock & Cordts, furniture dealers and undertakers. They supply everything in their line, from cradles to caskets.

Ask President To Make Appeal

Citizens' Committee Wants All Office Holders to Enforce Law, With Volstead Law Foremost in Mind.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

New York, Jan. 7.—Elbert H. Gary, chairman of the directorate of the United States Steel Corporation, will present to President Coolidge tomorrow a resolution adopted here by the citizens' committee of 1,000 for law enforcement, asking the chief magistrate to request office holders throughout the country to enforce law, with the Volstead act foremost in mind.

Gary has made a breakfast engagement for tomorrow at the White House. A committee will accompany him.

The resolution mentions that the president has set a worthy example in obeying the laws himself and requests that he urge all office holders to set a similar example.

"All of us should search our hearts," said Gary, "to ascertain if we are in any respect guilty of offense or of indifference concerning this vital function of our society."

Mayor Dever of Chicago also spoke, condemning officials who fail to enforce the law.

No Ice Harvest On Hudson River

For First Winter in Forty-Five Years the Knickerbocker Ice Company Will Not Harvest Crop Between West Park and Catskill.

This will be the first winter in forty-five years that the Knickerbocker Ice Company will not harvest a crop of ice between West Park and Catskill. That fact is not due to any lack of an ice crop, but solely to the fact that artificial ice is fast taking the place of natural ice in the New York city market.

Every winter there are a number of men from this city and vicinity who depend on the ice crop for a living during the cold months, and this winter they will be without such work.

The Knickerbocker Ice Company, however, still harvests some ice from the upper Hudson river in the vicinity of Adams and Hudson.

State Bonus for Soldiers' Widows

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 7.—Senator George H. Pearson, Republican, Syracuse, introduced in the Senate today a bill providing for the payment of a bonus to widows or the nearest kin of service men of this state who fought in the World War. The rate of bonus is \$10 a month for each month of service in the United States Army or Navy of a service man killed in action between April 6, 1917, and November 11, 1918. The amount of bonus in each case is limited to \$250.

Overhauling Firearm Thence Organ

Prof. Gustav Watz of New York city and some of his assistants have been busy for the past week working on the big No. 100 pipe organ at Kennedy's Theater on Wall street. The intricate mechanism is being overhauled and repaired and the organ given a thorough overhauling and tuning.

Allies Confer on Debt Situation

America's Claim Against France and for Share of German Reparations of Paramount Importance—Conference of Broader Scope Proposed.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Paris, Jan. 7.—France and Great Britain are in complete accord on matters which will come today before the Allied financial conference, it was indicated following a conference between Finance Minister Clementel and Chancellor of the Exchequer Churchill of England.

Following a two hour conference of the two men an official statement was issued which said:

"In the most cordial spirit we have semi-officially discussed the entire question of allied debts."

French officials are willing that an inter-Allied debt conference be held in Brussels during March but such a conference with American representatives absent would be "useless," officials declared.

Before any definite steps could be taken for holding a conference in Brussels the subject would have to be taken up with Washington and this has not been done, it was said in official circles.

Any suggestion at this time on the part of Great Britain or any other nation for such a conference, therefore, would be "premature," it was said.

The Franco-American debt situation and America's "legal" right to a share of the receipts derived through the Dawes plan were paramount, in the eyes of diplomats, to all other matters scheduled to come before the Allied financial conference.

Ostensibly the conference is being held to work out a new division of German reparations. Actually to diplomatic observers it will accomplish nothing of the kind. The best that can be hoped of the conference, they say, is that it will furnish ground for a much broader conference of the Allies, and one at which the whole problem of war debts and reparations could be taken up.

The United States is represented by Ambassador Herrick and Ambassador Kellogg, the latter of whom came from London especially for the conference. Colonel John A. Logan, observer on the reparations commission also is present.

Strenuous opposition to the American claim is expected to come from England. It has been the British contention that America should not participate in the German reparations because America did not sign the treaty of Versailles.

America should collect its war claims from German private property taken during the war by the alien property custodian, England holds. The United States proposes to return this seized property, observers pointed out, and will insist on sharing in German reparations.

Representatives of twelve allied nations including six finance ministers, assembled in the famous clock room of the foreign office palace when the conference was called to order. This was the room where the late President Woodrow Wilson, Clemenceau and Lloyd George drew up the terms of the Versailles treaty.

It was three o'clock before all of the representatives had assembled. The specific purpose, it was announced, was to make a division among the Allies of German reparation payments on the new basis of the Dawes plan.

After deciding on methods of handling details and what committees would be necessary, the delegates adjourned until Thursday, although informal conversations will be carried on tonight. It was announced.

The conference instructed experts with each delegation to submit a program of action for the next meeting.

CHAMPION'S DODGE CAR WAS

BURNED AT PUGHKEEPSIE

The sheriff of Dutchess county called up Kingston police headquarters this morning at 2 o'clock stating that a Dodge car had been driven up to the side of a road in the town of Poughkeepsie and burned. It was thought that the car was owned by a doctor and had been stolen. The license number the sheriff stated was 4-H-10-12.

The police department ascertained that this license number had been issued to Dr. William Dunbar Champion of 1405 Albany avenue, and called up his house this morning but were informed that Dr. Champion had left home Tuesday afternoon and had not returned. It was not known whether he had taken his car with him or not.

TWO PROPERTIES ON

BROADWAY SOLD

Estoré Rafaldi has sold his frame store building and residence at 557 Broadway to W. Arthur Farrar, and Mrs. Mary Brown has sold the lot adjoining at 543 Broadway to Mr. Farrar. It is understood the sales were made under contract. These properties adjoin the property of the Kingston Gas & Electric Light Company.

PLUMBING INSPECTOR CHECKS

SOLID BUSINESS TO RUN NOW

Plumbing Inspector Thomas A. Casack has sold his plumbing business to his son, E. D. Casack, of No. 323 Main street, who will continue the business. The son is a well known plumber and is meeting with success in his new venture.

Officers Chosen By Legislature

Knight Defeats Fearon in Republican Caucus for Senate Leader—McGinnies Becomes Speaker of Assembly—Adler Again Assembly Leader.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 7.—With its organization perfected, the 148th annual session of the New York state legislature convened at noon today with Senator John M. Knight of Wyoming county as Republican leader of the upper house, and Assemblyman Joseph A. McGinnies of Chautauque county, as speaker of the assembly.

Senator Knight defeated Senator George R. Fearon of Syracuse for the post of majority leader of the senate in the Republican caucus last night by a vote of 19 to 8. When it became apparent on the first ballot that he could not win the post of leader, Senator Fearon moved that Senator Knight's selection be made unanimous.

As majority leader Senator Knight will succeed former Senator Clayton R. Lusk of Cortland, who held the position for several years when the Republicans were in control of the upper house.

Senator James J. Walker of New York city, Democratic majority leader in the senate for the last two years, will be the minority leader for the next two years.

Speaker Elected Unanimously

Assemblyman McGinnies's election as speaker was unanimous. He succeeds H. Edmund Machold of Watertown, who did not return to the legislature this year. For several years McGinnies has been chairman of the ways and means committee. Assemblyman Simon L. Adler of Rochester will be the Republican floor leader in the house. He has held that post for several years. Republicans will be in complete control of both houses of the 1925 legislature. In the senate they have a majority of 7, while in the house they increased their lead in the last election to 42.

Governor Smith will be the only Democrat in the elective state offices during the coming two years. All the other offices are filled by Republicans. It was expected the governor, in his message would reiterate what he said in his inaugural address when he urged the lawmakers to cast aside partisan politics and work for the best interest of the state.

No Controversy Over Amendment

The question of ratification of the Federal anti-child labor amendment which many believed would be the subject of much controversy at the coming session, appears to have been settled already. The Republican legislative program calls for a referendum on the subject, and the Democratic leaders will favor a similar plan.

Other Assembly Officers

Assemblyman T. Channing Moore of Westchester presided at the Republican caucus which was held in the Assembly Chamber. The slate of candidates for posts in the assembly, agreed upon at the caucus and ratified today was as follows:

Clerk—Fred W. Hammond, Syracuse, reappointment.

Stenographer—George W. Munson, Rochester, reappointment.

Sergeant at arms—Harry Haines, Westchester, reappointment.

Doorkeepers—Charles H. Jackson, Washington county; Walter H. Gay of Wyoming and William Stacy of Oswego.

Assemblyman Moore was again selected as chairman of the committee to call conferences and caucuses. Assemblyman Maurice Bloch of New York city will be the leader of the Democratic minority in the lower house. He held that post last year.

Ernest A. Fay of St. Lawrence county, will be the clerk in the Senate for the next two years. He held that post for several years when the Republicans controlled the upper house.

Wants Marriage Contract Signed

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 7.—Cupid would be in for a tough time if a bill which Assemblyman Frank L. Carlin is preparing to draft should become law.

Because of the great number of breach of promise suits, Carlin would enact a law that such a suit could not be brought by a young woman unless she could produce a contract signed by the young man that he intended to marry her. The bill's name would also have to be signed to the contract.

This would prevent young men who want to become engaged, but don't want to be married to proper as often as they want without incurring danger of being sued for breach of promise of Carlin said, smiling.

Some Ridge Home Owners

The first lesson in the food preparation project which is being studied by Stone Ridge members of the Finger County Home Bureau, will come on Thursday afternoon, January 8, at the Stone Ridge Library, beginning at 3:30 p.m. The food leader, Mrs. Kate Cleaver, will give the demonstration, assisted by Mrs. Jeanette Busch which will consist of a lecture and a practical lesson in the state of the art. The project is being prepared by a very active group of home makers which has as its basis white washers.

Legislature Meets For Short, Snappy Session

Governor Smith Reads Annual Message to Law Makers—One of Longest Documents of Its Kind Ever Presented—Many Important Bills Introduced at Opening Session.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

State Capitol, Albany, N. Y., Jan. 7.—With the Republicans in complete control of both houses, and with Governor Alfred E. Smith pleading in his annual message with the lawmakers to thrust aside partisan politics and work only for the best interest of the state, the 1925 session of the state legislature got away to a lively start shortly after noon today. The Senate convened at 12:05 o'clock and the Assembly at 12:15.

After the organization of both houses had been perfected, the Senators and Assemblymen convened in joint session in the Assembly Chamber to hear Governor Smith read his message.

While Governor Smith and the Republican leaders in the Legislature are expected to "get together" during the session on several important measures, it was predicted at the Capitol that a majority of the executive's recommendations would be rejected by the Legislature.

Many recommendations familiar. Many of the recommendations which Governor Smith made this year were contained in his message to the 1924 Legislature. Last year they were enacted by the Democratic Senate but rejected by the Republican Assembly.

At least one important measure which the governor and the Republicans are expected to agree on this year is that providing for a 48 hour week for women and minors in industry. Last year the Republicans defeated such a bill during the closing hours of the session.

The desks of scores of members in both houses were covered with flowers when the session got underway. Hundreds of friends of the lawmakers from all parts of the state were in attendance.

Senate Organizes

The senate was called to order by Lieutenant Governor Seymour Lowman, the presiding officer of that body. His desk was virtually covered with floral tributes. Senator John Knight of Wyoming, who last night defeated Senator George R. Fearon of Syracuse for the post of Republican leader in the upper house, occupied the majority leader's seat when the senate convened. Senator James J. Walker, New York city Democrat, will be the minority leader in the senate for the next two years.

Organization of Assembly

The lower house was called to order by Assemblyman Joseph A. McGinnies of Chautauque, the new speaker. He was hardly able to make his way to the speaker's rostrum because of the large number of floral tributes.

Assemblyman Simon L. Adler of Rochester, again occupied the seat of Republican floor leader in the house. Assemblyman Maurice Bloch of New York city, was again elected by the Democrats as their leader.

Governor Heads Message

Governor Smith started reading his message at 1:17 o'clock. The message contains approximately 30,000 words and it was estimated it would take the executive nearly two hours to read it.

When the governor entered the Assembly Chamber, accompanied by his secretary, George Graves, he was cheered to the echo by the members of the Legislature and the crowds which packed every available inch of space in the chamber. The audience was composed of scores of women and close friends of the governor's family.

Short and Snappy Session

Predictions were freely made on all sides today at the Capitol by both Republicans and Democrats that the 1925 session would be "short and snappy." Members of both parties were hoping they would be able to "clean up their work for final adjournment by the latter part of March.

Because of the home rule amendment to the state constitution, pending since 1913, to elect local legislators, the number of bills to be introduced at the 1925 session will be less than in previous years. The work of the Legislature should be cleaned up by March 1st.

Republicans Have Majority

The Republicans will have a working majority of seven in the upper house this year and 42 in the lower house. Last year the Democrats controlled the senate by one vote because of their having lost the Republican leaders will be able to kill any bill recommended by the governor if they so desire.

An unusual number of important bills were introduced by the Republicans at the opening session. The Democrats also were active in introducing measures of state-wide importance.

Endorse Income Tax

One of the first Republican bills introduced in the session was a bill endorsing income tax in the state income tax. This was favored by Governor Smith in his message and

"V" Secretary to Talk

P. S. Conn, a V. M. C. A. secretary from India, and a former Williams College man, will be the speaker of the H. V. Club tonight at 8:15. Mr. Conn said that he was the first man to have ever been from the foreign land who could say some real things of his work and say them in a few minutes.

Conlon Wants A Jury Trial

Arrested on Complaint of James Van Demark, Who Says Edward Assaulted Him—Adjourned to January 14—Dolan Boys Sent Back to Tannersville.

Edward Conlon was arrested this morning by Sergeant Phinney on a warrant obtained by James Van Demark of Hurley avenue, who charged him with assault in the third degree. Later in the day Conlon was arraigned before Judge Harry E. Schrick in police court, and through his attorney, F. C. Merritt, entered a plea of not guilty and demanded a jury trial. A jury was drawn and the case will be tried Wednesday evening, January 14, at the city hall. Bail was fixed at \$250 and furnished.

The Dolan brothers, Frank and Harry, were picked up Tuesday evening by members of the police department on a technical charge of disorderly conduct. When questioned as to what they had had to eat that day they replied sweet apples and asked where they had obtained the apples, replied, "Why, off of trees."

"Huh," grunted the cop who had done the questioning, "you must have dreamed you were in Florida."

This morning Judge Schrick discharged them on their promise to return to their home in Tannersville.

Earth Tremors in New England

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Boston, Jan. 7.—Window and china were broken in several New England towns and cities today by earth tremors, three in number, the first of which was felt at 8:09 a. m. The other two followed in close succession.

The disturbance was reported most noticeable in the vicinity of Lynn and Lawrence but the rumbling was also felt here and in Gloucester, Needham, Swamp Scott, Newburyport, Andover and Salem and scores of other places.

Several Andover residents reported dishes were jarred from their shelves and broken and that windows were shattered.

The police here and in other cities were besieged with inquiries regarding the tremors. No report of a serious explosion has been received.

Hewitt Finance Committee Head

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 7.—Majority leader Knight in the Senate announced today he had appointed Senator Charles J. Hewitt of Cayuga county as chairman of the finance committee to facilitate the work of that committee. Other standing committee chairmen will be named next Monday night when the session will draw their seats for the session.

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Excelsior Hose Annual Banquet

held at Leaycraft Inn Tuesday Night
Speeches by City Officials—
Company Elects Officers for En-
suing Year.

Members of Excelsior Hose Com-
pany, No. 4, held their annual ban-
quet Tuesday evening at Leaycraft
Inn on the Ashokan boulevard. The
members of the company and sev-
eral invited guests left the engine
house at 5:30 o'clock in twenty
automobiles, making a tour of the
town streets before leaving for
the Inn. Eighty-six attended the
banquet including Mayor Block,
President of the Common Council
Edward Dempsey, Chief Murphy of
the fire department and Fire Com-
missioners Louis Kolts and J. Philip
Lichter and ex-fire Commissioner
Charles Lahl.

During the supper the Apex or-
chestra provided entertainment.
The banquet was served in excellent
style. Mr. Leaycraft, outgoing pres-
ident, presided at the Inn. Foreman
William B. Martin acted as toast-
master and after the banquet had
been served speeches were made by
the officials present and dancing was
enjoyed until an early hour
of the morning.

At the annual meeting of the com-
pany the following officers were
elected: Foreman, William B. Mar-
tin; first assistant foreman, Roy
Lichter; second assistant foreman,
Frank Wood; president, Willis Roe;
secretary, E. E. Schryver, making
the tenth year as secretary; treas-
urer, Edward W. Cunningham; dele-
gates to Hudson Valley Volunteer
Firemen's Association which meets
June at Newburgh, Roy Sikes; dele-
gates to Kingston Fire Fund
Association, E. E. Schryver; dele-
gates to Veteran Volunteer Fire-
men's Association, William G. Smith
and Charles Johnson; captain, the
late Gregory Mabry; janitor, Elmer
Bols.

Women in Business

Recent gathering of business wom-
en in London included, among others,
merchants, architects, a dental surgeon,
a publisher, a florist, a tea
merchant, a horse breeder, a surveyor,
a theatrical manager, a color consultant,
an automobile saleswoman, a pearl
dealer and two members of parlia-
ment.

Gas Pipes in London

Twenty-six hundred miles of mains
used to supply London with gas.

PROUD

Spasmodic Croup is frequently
relieved by one application of—
VICKS
VAPORUS
Over 17 Million Sold Yearly

Death Threats Sent to Woman Judge.



MRS. GEORGIA BULLOCK

Numerous anonymous threats of
death have been received by Mrs.
Georgia Bullock, first woman police
judge ever to be appointed in Los
Angeles.

RECORD REVENUE FROM STOCK TRANSFER TAX

By Telegraph to The Freeman.
Albany, Jan. 7.—December was
the most profitable month for the
state of New York in revenue from
the stock transfer tax since the law
was enacted in 1905. John F. Gil-
christ, president of the State Tax
Commission, announced today.
The total receipts from that
source for last month were \$1,429,
080.50, or \$96,477.78 greater than
the receipts from last November
which showed the previous high
record.

The new total, representing a con-
tinued activity in the stock markets,
reflects revived business conditions
throughout the country. Mr. Gil-
christ said.

Transfer of stock requiring stamps
of \$2.00 denomination continues to
lead all other transfers. During De-
cember 426,639 of those stamps
were sold for a total amount of
\$853,278. The amount represents
the largest of any denomination ever
sold in a single month.

During the same period 1,100
stamps of \$100 denomination were
sold, netting the state \$110,000.

The income from stock transfers
in December of 1924 was greater
than the total for the entire year of
1905 when that source of revenue
netted the state \$1,226,757.82. In
1920, the state collected \$10,648,
993.01 and in 1923 the total was
\$8,573,220.36.

The total amount collected for
the last six months of the calendar
year was \$9,279,289.40.

PATHONS FOR CONCERT AT THE ST. JAMES CHURCH

The following names are among
those who will be patrons for the
concert to be given by the Ladies'
Guild of the St. James M. E. Church
on Monday next, January 12:

The Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Tetley,
Mr. and Mrs. William F. Dedrick,
Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Angle, Mr. and
Mrs. I. J. Rose, Mr. and Mrs. John
H. Gregory, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Con-
nelly, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Thomas,
Mr. and Mrs. William D. Styles, Mr.
and Mrs. E. B. Fowler, Mr. and Mrs.
Arthur Quimby, Mr. and Mrs. Wil-
liam C. Shafer, Mr. and Mrs. Clar-
ence Babcock, Mr. and Mrs. David
Gill, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kear-
ney, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rittenbary,
Vernon Miller, Dr. Julius Gifford,
Dr. and Mrs. Frederick Snyder, Mr.
and Mrs. Arthur Carr, Mr. and
Mrs. E. E. Fessenden, Mr. and Mrs.
Newton H. Fessenden, Mr. and Mrs.
M. Brodhead, Mr. and Mrs. A. H.
Chambers, Mr. and Mrs. James A.
Betts, Mr. and Mrs. William Craig,
Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Reben, Mr. and
Mrs. D. N. Matthews, Mr. and Mrs.
Stanley Matthews, Mr. and Mrs. C.
Donohue, Mr. and Mrs. William
H. Longyear, Mr. and Mrs. Henry J.
Bartsch, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Everett,
Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Everett, Mr.
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great worm that annually destroys millions of dollars worth of growing cotton. A special petroleum drum
is scattered over the plants. It does no harm to the cotton, but kills the weevils.

DEAD SEA HELP TO AGRICULTURE?

Waters Can Supply Enormous Quantities of Potash for Fertilizer.

Washington.—Enormous supplies of potash can be easily extracted from the waters of the Dead sea, according to recent assertions.

"The Dead sea is the sink-hole of the world," says a bulletin from the Washington headquarters of the National Geographic society. "In no other continent is there such a deep depression in the earth's crust; nor will one find greater desolation or more uncomfortable conditions for man and most other living things even in the hearts of the greatest deserts."

"The Hebrew scriptures have shown an atmosphere of tragedy about this country. There, the chronicles of Sodom and Gomorrah, destroyed by the wrath of Jehovah; and the modern reader sees the wasted region, seared by unbearable heat, with its bitter death-dealing waters, to prove the story to his satisfaction."

"According to the Biblical narrative the Jordan valley, and the plain near its mouth on the shores of the Dead sea where the destroyed cities lay, were the early good fortune of the promised Land itself and 'flowed with milk and honey.' But an end was put to this pleasant condition by the rain brimstone and fire."

Geology Indicates Vast Age. "The story of the region deepened from its rocks by geologists begins much earlier than the days of the patriarchs whose actions are recorded in the Bible. This record seems to indicate that Palestine and the whole eastern end of Arabia rose from the sea a million or more years ago in a geological term the Tertiary era."

Shortly after the rise, it seems, a great slice of the land parallel to the east of the Mediterranean sank to great depth, forming the huge rift valley, 'the Ghor,' now occupied by the

Jordan river and the Dead sea.

"It is not clear whether there was a connecting channel between the Mediterranean and the great valley; but a well-defined ancient beach indicates that in those remote times the great depression held a sea or lake at about the same level as that of the Mediterranean. The Jordan did not then exist; its entire valley as well as the Sea of Galilee was swallowed up in the parent of the Dead sea, which was some 200 miles long and 10 to 15 miles wide."

"It is believed that the climate of Palestine in remote times was moist and that the great inland lake was for a while kept at its highest point. When drier conditions set in the lake began to shrink, eventually retreating into the present position of the Dead sea and exposing the valley now occupied by the Jordan. This is practically the only large river in the world which flows in a valley ready-made for it almost from source to mouth."

"The Dead sea depression having no outlet, all the salts contained in the large original inland sea were retained when evaporation reduced the volume of the body of water to its present dimensions. In addition, for hundreds of thousands of years the Jordan and the other streams and torrents that flow from the desert hills into the basin have been carrying in additional salts until now the waters of the Dead sea constitute one of the most highly concentrated natural brines in existence. It is estimated that on the average some six million tons of water flow into the Dead sea daily, and since the level of the sea changes but little, an equal amount is pumped out daily by evaporation."

"Whereas ocean water contains about one-twentieth of its weight in dissolved solids, the solids in solution in Dead sea water make up one-fourth its weight. Potassium chloride makes up about one-fifth of the total solids but common salt (sodium chloride) is fully five times as plentiful. The isolation of the potassium salts, therefore, might be somewhat difficult on a commercial scale."

Cause of Destruction.

"The present Dead sea is 47 miles long and about ten miles wide. Its surface lies approximately 1,300 feet lower than sea level and at its deepest point its bottom lies another 1,300

feet down. This great rift in the earth's crust, therefore, lies 2,000 feet below sea level and is the deepest hole in the land anywhere in the world. Because of the intense heat and dryness and the presence everywhere of salt the land immediately about the Dead sea is a region of desolation. On some of the dunes a few straggling, thorny desert plants grow and in some sheltered valleys where the springs are fresh, small groups of palms struggle for existence. Most of the area, however, is a dry, rocky waste encrusted with salt, or nearer the sea, with silty salt mud flats.

"It is quite possible that even 6,000 or 7,000 years ago, in the era to which the Biblical chronicles reach, the then relatively moist climate of Palestine made the plain near the mouth of the Jordan a rich land such as that which Lot found. It is also quite possible that the 'Cities of the Plain'—Sodom, Gomorrah and their fellows—perished in a cataclysm brought about by a modern secondary adjustment in this region of tremendous earlier geologic disturbance."

Home Inspires Confidence

Home ownership inspires self-respect in individuals, which, in turn, stimulates in others respect for them—makes of them better men and women, better American citizens, better husbands and wives, better parents. It gives them a standing and an influence in a community second only to the influence exercised by intellectual and moral character.—Exchange.

Of the Same Family

The "timber" wolf is one found in the northeastern part of the United States, while the "loafer" wolf inhabits regions in the vicinity of Arizona. These may be regarded as the same type, the only difference being in the terms applied to them in various parts of the country.

Lute and Guitar

The lute is a stringed musical instrument of the guitar family. The formal difference between a lute and a guitar is to be found in the back, which in the lute is pear-shaped and in the guitar is flat. The lute is without ribs, which are essential to the framing of the guitar.

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ELECT OFFICERS OF VETERANS' ASSOCIATION.

A regular meeting of Kingston Chapter, No. 30, Disabled American Veterans of the World War, was held at the city hall building Tuesday evening. A very large number was in attendance. There was a delegation from Liberty, N. Y., present, including Senior Vice Commander Matthew A. Skea and First Deputy Chief of Staff K. J. Benberg, who told of benefits of the organization and its purposes.

The local chapter was organized July last and has been increasing steadily in membership. After the business meeting the following officers for the ensuing year were elected: Commander, Joseph E. Sills; senior vice commander, John Albert; junior, Alvin Sherman; adjutant, D. W. Benton, Jr.; treasurer, John J. Horvath; chaplain, the Rev. Francis O'Reilly; sergeant at arms, Peter O'Brien.

Following the election of officers a social was enjoyed and refreshments served.

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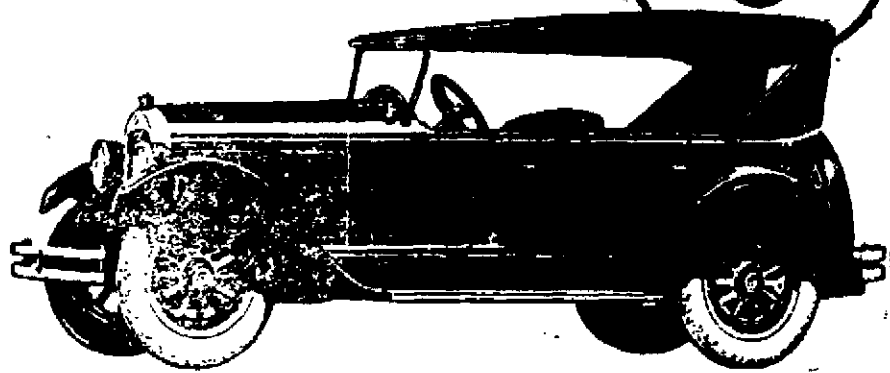
It has beauty of design, finish and equipment not excelled within \$1,000 of its price; and its own price is less than that of many sixes.

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HUPMOBILE EIGHT



Once Populous Cities Reclaimed by Jungle

The old question whether a thing can be lost when you know where it is applies in part to lost cities, because the sites of many of them are known and in some cases even the buildings and statuary are almost intact.

Now, however, their only inhabitants are the beasts of the jungle. Lions prowl through their echoing halls, monkeys race across their fretted arches and snakes lurk in their dark dungeons or glide across their crumbling pavements.

For instance, the holy city of the Buddhists—Barabodoe, in Java—had been forgotten for 600 years when Sir Stamford Raffles rediscovered it and its wonderful temple, the eighth wonder of the world, says a writer in London Answers.

The jungle of Siam has hidden its ancient capital, Ayuthia, for four centuries. Its inhabitants fled before the conquering Burmese, and never returned. It is now said to be the lurking place of thousands of enormous snakes.

Mystery surrounds the dead city of Thebes, which Captain Rawling discovered. It is a vast collection of palaces, monasteries and dwelling houses, but the Theban king's professed ignorance of its existence and also of the reason of its abandonment.

Five centuries ago Angkor had a population of three-quarters of a million. Today it is the dead city of Cambodia. The carved stone elephants, the lacquered carriages, the marble temples, still remain, but the jungle has invaded the streets and squares.

Papuan Savagery

In Papua, only 10 miles from Australia, the British Empire, cases of cannibalism still occur; the Papuan have a tradition that no youth may marry until he has shed human blood.

Our Old Habits

It's a tremendous task to excavate a large cellar with a teaspoon—a small matter with a steam shovel. Then why use some of our old habits—In China Construction Recorder.

Frugality and Hope

He seldom lives frugally who lives by chance. Hope is always liberal, and that true hope makes make little things of things today on the profits of tomorrow.—Johnson.

Uncle Eben

"A five-year-old boy after all could find Eben, when he has told his teachers to be policemen instead of to be doctors in the hospital"—Washington Star.

Powerful Light Ray

A special ray of light which will penetrate for a distance up to 300 yards under water at six depths has been invented by an Italian scientist.

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Turn to Page 5 To-morrow Night and Read of the Savings!

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Most people know the wearing quality of these pure flax rugs. Those who have them usually buy them when they require an additional rug.

Gregory & Co.

PHOTOPLAY DESCRIBED WORK OF "Y" SECRETARIES

The boys' rooms at the local Y. M. C. A. were well filled with boys Tuesday night when the motion picture, "Peter Points the Way," was shown to the members and their friends.

The picture was a part of the "Help the Other Fellow Campaign" that is being conducted by the Boys' Division this week. The story told of how the Y. M. C. A. had special secretaries aboard the various ships coming to this country, who worked with the immigrants, helping them as best they could. Then how at Ellis Island, they were able to render such assistance as a man would need.

Then as the immigrant lands and finds work in the factory of this country, the "Y" has secretaries, known as industrial secretaries, who work among the men in the industry. Here the secretary not only helps in the recreation periods, but conducts classes in English, and finally in citizenship, helping the new comer to secure his papers to American citizenship.

This is a part of the work of the State and National Council of the Y. M. C. A. that the boys are raising

money to help this week. Thirty per cent of the money raised will go to work of this type as the State Committee works among the immigrant boys. Fifteen per cent will go to the National Council for their boys' work.

The last of the envelopes will be distributed today. The collection will begin after school Thursday.

To Tell Weight of Coal

A solid cubic foot of anthracite weighs about 60 pounds. When broken it weighs about 34 pounds. Bituminous coal when broken up averages about 30 pounds per cubic foot. Therefore, simply find the contents of box or bin in cubic feet and multiply by one of these numbers, according to kind of coal.

Turkey's Old Use

A Fourteenth-century authority states that turkeys were protected from the ill effects resulting from drinking cold water when they were overworked. It is said that the Turks often attached these feathers across to the throat and front of their horses as a sunshade.

Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale

By Mary Graham Bonner

JENNIE'S MUMPS

Jennie was very much worried. She had the mumps. Both of her cheeks were swollen and she looked quite a funny sight.

Only she didn't feel that way at all. She felt most uncomfortable and it was hard to swallow, but most of all she was worried.

Christmas was coming and she didn't know whether Santa Claus would be able to come and see her.

None of her friends were allowed to come near her as she might give them the mumps, too.

Not that she wanted to give them the mumps—her mother had explained to her that mumps were given from one to another without the people's wishes being considered at all.

It was a way they had in the wretched mumps family. That was it. They insisted upon being given whether anyone wanted them or not.

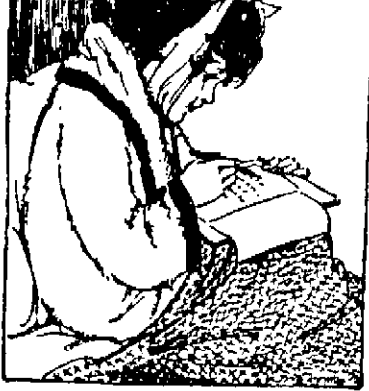
Now would Santa be able to come? Would he not "give" the mumps, as they expressed it, to other children? Wouldn't he "carry" them to the other houses without wanting to at all? It was the way the mumps family acted.

They got people to carry them around whether they wanted to carry them or not.

Oh, how worried Jennie was. What would Christmas be like without Santa?

And then she thought that even though Santa was so frightfully busy perhaps he would be able to find the time to write to her. And if she wrote to him he would be able to burn the letter right up after reading it so he wouldn't carry around the "germs."

He would be able to wash his hands carefully before he worked on other



So She Wrote a Letter.

toys. Surely it would be all right to write to him and she asked her mother to make sure.

Her mother thought it would be perfectly all right to write to Santa. So she wrote a letter, as she sat up in bed, her face all wound up in a big handkerchief, and after she had finished it she asked her mother to put it down by the fireplace.

Santa would then know the truth. She would tell him that she had mumps and if it would give it to other children to have him come and see her at Christmas time she'd understand that he wouldn't be able to this year. But this is what she wrote:

"My darling, dear Santa:
"I'm writing this in bed and it's hard to write here but you won't mind if it's poorly written. I have mumps. Both my cheeks are awfully fat and I look funny in the glass but I don't feel that way."

"I want to know, dear Santa, if you can come and see me at Christmas, or would you be carrying mumps to other children if you came to this house? I wouldn't want you to do that even though it would be awful without you. But I think I'd feel better if I knew. It's not knowing that worries me so. Have you time to write me a little bit of a letter, dear Santa Claus?"

"Your little friend,
"JENNIE."

Two days passed and each morning Jennie's mother looked down by the fireplace to see if a letter had come from Santa. And Jennie had almost given up hopes when on the third day there was a letter.

Jennie thought she had never known an envelope to stick together as that one did. It was so hard to get it open. But at last she had it opened and she read Santa's letter.

"My dear little Jennie:
"As a rule I cannot write letters before Christmas as I am too busy making toys and reading letters and making lists. But I had to answer your letter as soon as possible to tell you that I am certainly coming to see you."

"The mumps family are horrid. They're mean and I haven't any use for them, but Santa Claus is a privileged person."

"He cannot 'carry' sickness with him. You are a dear, though, but to want other children to suffer, Santa is very good of you. But Santa can visit every child on Christmas eve whether he or she has the mumps or not."

"Your friend and helper,
"SANTA CLAUS."

And Jennie put the letter under her pillow at night and read it again and again during the daytime.

Good Noise Makers

"We've got a new radio set at our house," bragged Hazel.

"That's just what we want," returned Nellie. "We've got a set of toys at our house and they're much better than a radio set."

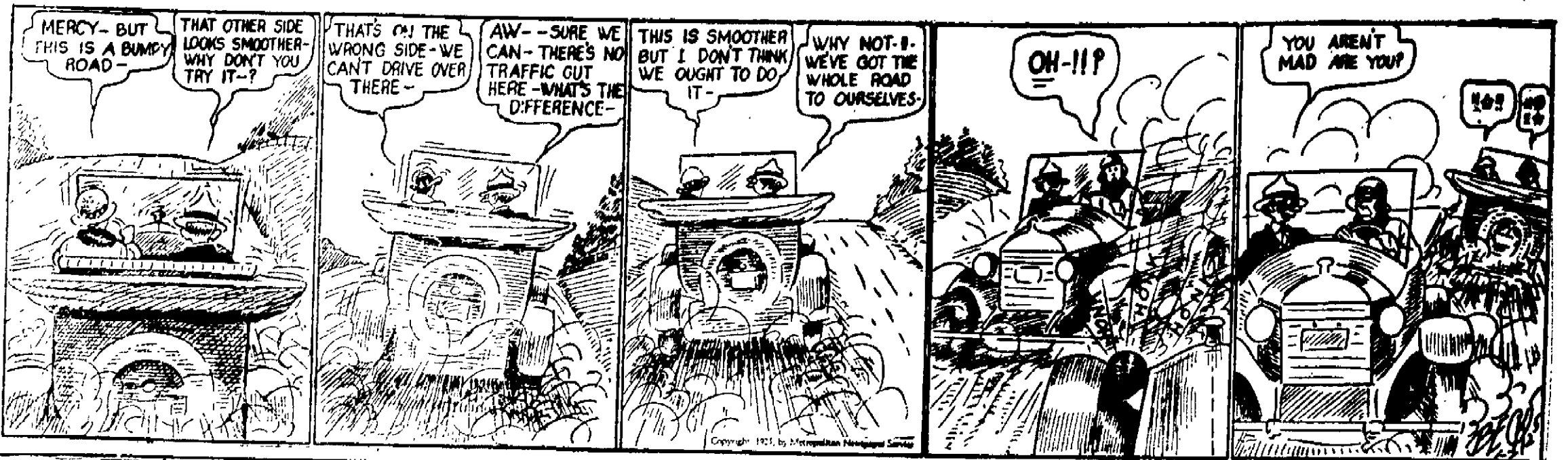
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The KITCHEN CABINET

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Keeping at work while, hard work tends to prosperity, and at the same time protects the worker. He is too busy to be foolish and wasteful. — Presbyterian of the South.

FOR THE FAMILY TABLE

When salad materials are low, scrape and grind enough uncooked carrots to make a cupful or two, adding a bit of onion juice and a stalk or two of minced celery. Mix with a good mayonnaise and serve on a tender leaf of lettuce. A sprinkle of nuts, even coarsely rolled peanuts adds to this salad.

Stewed Pig's Knuckles.
—Wash three pounds of fresh pig's knuckles and score the skin. Rub them with a tablespoonful of salt and dust with pepper. Place in a kettle with enough water to cover them, cover closely and simmer two and one-half hours. Add six sweet potatoes, pared and cut into strips and cook three-quarters of an hour longer. Take out the meat, remove the skin and bones, lay the meat on a platter with a border of potatoes. To every cupful of the liquid in which the meat was cooked add two tablespoonfuls of flour mixed to a paste with one tablespoonful of water, one tablespoonful of horseradish and one-half teaspoonful of Worcestershire sauce. Cook until thickened. Serve with fried apples or jelly-crabapples.

Boned Fish.—Fish would be so much better enjoyed if the bones were removed. This is not a difficult task and baking a fish that is stuffed increases its attractiveness. After cutting the fish down the center, remove the bone by cutting with a sharp knife, beginning at the tail. Most of the bones will be removed with the back bone. Lay in the well-seasoned stuffing, sew up and bake as usual.

Vegetarian Gravy.—Chop one small onion and carrot and brown in two tablespoonfuls of butter. Dissolve a bouillon cube in one cupful of hot water, add to vegetables and simmer for 20 minutes. Strain, thicken with flour and butter, adding a dash of Worcestershire sauce and kitchen bouquet.

Ginger Sandwiches.—Mince very fine preserved ginger, moisten it with enough of the syrup to spread easily, add a few salted almonds finely chopped and use as filling. Prepare and cut as usual.

Nellie Maxwell

WILLIAM.

William, Jan. 6.—A very pleasant time was spent in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Max Georci on Wednesday evening, when a number of their friends gathered to see the old year out and the new year in. The evening was spent in a social way. Mr. Georci favored with a number of selections on the Victrola. At 11 o'clock refreshments were served.

And, shortly after midnight all left for their homes wishing the host and hostess a happy new year. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. John Martin, Miss Nellie Martin, Miss Ella Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Fenton Lane, Captain and Mrs. Harry T. Blythe and Mr. and Mrs. Max Georci.

The Misses Mildred and Pauline Lane, who have been spending two weeks' vacation in New York city, have returned home.

Capt. and Mrs. Harry T. Blythe spent New Year's Day in Newburgh. They were entertained by a number of Capt. Blythe's military friends.

Charles Horn of New York was in town over the week-end.

Capt. B. F. Cross has returned from New York, where he has been spending the holidays.

The Work and Win Society of the M. E. Church met at the home of Mrs. John Martin last Wednesday. The ladies are getting ready for their fair the coming summer. Refreshments were served.

Miss E. Wilber will leave for Brooklyn next week where she will enter the M. E. Hospital for training.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kellar was a guest at the home of their daughter Mrs. Harry Blythe, of Shady on Sunday.

SHOKAN.

Shokan, Jan. 7.—Mrs. Abe Avery, who had the misfortune to sprain her right ankle, is unable to be out around.

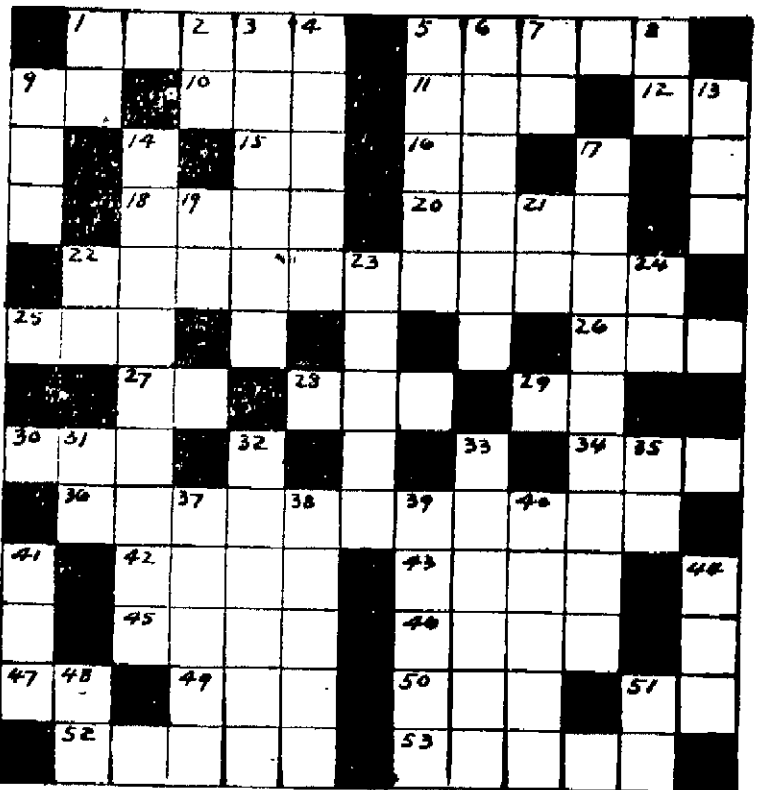
Conversations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Wells upon their recent marriage. Mrs. Wells was formerly Ella Constable of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Osterhout and family were out of town calling on friends.

There was a social gathering at the home of Mrs. Avery on Sunday evening. Mrs. Avery was the hostess.

The Daily Cross Word Puzzle

By RICHARD H. TINGLEY



Horizontal

- 1—Reposed
- 5—Capable
- 9—Proceed
- 10—One of the Books of the Bible (abbr)
- 11—One of the months
- 12—Exclamation
- 15—Doubly (prefix)
- 16—A preposition
- 18—French river
- 20—An Italian silver coin
- 22—Peevishness
- 26—Crossword puzzle worker
- 28—Group of things
- 27—Musical note
- 28—Jig pen
- 29—Point of the compass
- 30—Expression of impatience
- 34—Disclosed
- 36—Those of ripe experience in particular lines
- 42—19.3 cents in Italy
- 43—A "bunch" of cattle or horses
- 45—To closely unite
- 46—Literary or musical composition
- 47—Glory to the Father (abbr)
- 48—Pertaining to (suffix)
- 50—Opposite (abbr)
- 51—Tober
- 52—Forces open
- 53—Four (from the Greek)

Vertical

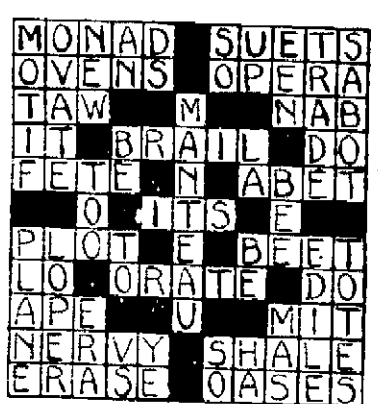
- 1—In this manner
- 2—Into (prefix)
- 3—A once-famous beer
- 4—Diminutive
- 5—Diminutive
- 6—Morning services
- 7—Yes
- 8—Toward
- 9—Vehicle
- 13—Farm animal

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- 17—Words of identification
- 19—That is (abbr)
- 21—Concerning
- 22—Musical note
- 23—Extreme
- 24—Point of the compass
- 21—Toward the top
- 32—Step
- 33—Siberian plain
- 35—Ourselves
- 37—Arabian mountain
- 38—Companions
- 39—To discharge a gun
- 40—To break out violently
- 41—Fall behind
- 44—Definite article
- 48—Very softly (abbr, musical)
- 51—Mother

The solution will appear tomorrow.

Solution of yesterday's puzzle.



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Quick of Atwood.

All are sorry to hear of the illness of Mrs. James Giles. All hope for a speedy recovery.

Amiasiah Constable spent the week end in Kingston at Mrs. Irving J. Craver's.

Mr. and Mrs. William Quick called on Chester Lyons Sunday afternoon.

Fine "Food for Powder"

The Coldstream Guards of the Bloody Seventh division are the biggest men in the British army. Every man is over six feet tall.

DAILY RADIO PROGRAM

(Compiled by United Press)
WEDNESDAY, JAN. 7

Wednesday's Best Features

WCAP, WCAP—U. S. Army Band.
WNYC—Dr. Fick's Lecture.
WJAZ—Municipal Band.
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"Y" Worthy of Big Membership

The Y. M. C. A. is a busy place and warrants a large membership. It is anticipated that there will be 150 new and renewed memberships during the month of January. The various activities have been well attended.

In a recent address over the radio by Dr. S. P. Cadman on "The March of the Kingdom," he showed that the "Y" is worthy of a big membership in each locality where it is established. He said: "We are not to allow our sense of lasting obligation to this tremendous agency for brotherhood to be dulled by usage and familiarity. Its home centers are in nearly every American town and city; its circumference sweeps around Europe, Asia, Africa and the major islands of the seas. Its flag girdles the globe with a more spiritual meaning than that of any national ensign. It is the flag of Christ, white with His purity, and red with His obligation. It tells mankind of the original Christianity which came in Him, not to be ministered unto, but to minister. The multiplicity of its benefits has earned for it the support of the best citizens of all Christian lands. Closely connected with it are several kindred organizations which, to a given extent, have been promoted by its successful example. After thirty years of intimate relations with this honored association, which belongs first to our Lord, and then to all for whom He died, permit me to wish it Godspeed and every possible attainment in grace, gifts and fruit."

The Y. M. C. A. is an organization of service, the more members there are, the greater the work that can be done.

BEACH OR BOUDOIR.

(By Eleanor Gunn.)

The beach pajamas may hold no more interest for you than any new item which is not within your own experience, but it is new, and it is fashion—perhaps one is safer in saying a fad, instead of a fashion.

The Lido, which was one of the most chic watering places of the season to attract not only Europeans but Americans as well, launched this fad. Deauville and Biarritz taking it up. For that matter, an occasional beach pajama appeared on the sands of Deauville, a whole season before, but since one swallow does not make a summer, it failed to be taken very seriously. Now one hears talk on all sides about the beach pajama—one of the several versions being illustrated. It provides an excuse for airing one's Mandarin coat, provided, of course, that the pajamas beneath have a sufficiently Oriental air. The addition of a heavy upholstery tassel seems to take care of that.



At all events, if one does not care to stalk the beach in such regalia, one may wear it to and from one's private bath, and in and about the boudoir, since the pajama has become a sort of lounging garment de luxe with certain women—stay-at-homes as well as those who travel.

Among the elaborate negligees recently seen was one of allover gold lace made with a gathered wrist-length cape, the under section being gold over green chiffon, while the reverse chiffon section was used for the cape. The hip-length skirt, under the cape, of course, introduced orchid beads.

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NEW HURLEY

New Hurley, Jan. 7.—Mrs. Mottie Conine of New Paltz, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Hallack.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Moneil entertained Mr. and Mrs. John Kidd and family of Walden, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Van Kleeck and mother, Mrs. Cordelia Van Kleeck at their home on New Year's Day.

About seventy attended the Christmas dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Mott on Tuesday of last week. During the afternoon Santa Claus made his appearance and distributed presents to the younger members of the Sunday school. The offering that was taken for the New Year's fund amounted to over \$200.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sherwood and son spent New Year's with Mrs. Sherwood's mother, Mrs. E. M. Mott, at Walden.

Chipso brings a new, easier kind of washday

FOR you washday has meant dreary hours of rubbing and bending over fuming tubs.

Chipso brings you a new kind of washday—saves precious strength and time.

See how simple and economical a Chipso washing is:

From the big-value, blue-and-orange package, you pour snow-white Chipso into hot water. (No powder or fumes to make you sneeze.)

You whip the water with your hand (or run the washing machine a minute or two) and then—

See the cleansing bubbles mount by the millions to the rim

of the tub! That is Chipso expanding, multiplying to help you. (No time-wasting churning, stirring, or mashing of cake-soap.)

Now, plunge the clothes in. Instantly millions of tiny bubbling helpers begin to chase one another in and out through the fabric, carrying away each particle of dirt.

One trial of Chipso—this remarkable new form of soap, so quick, so kind to fabrics and colors—and the old-fashioned washday is a thing of the past! At a cost, too, that is not a single penny more than the old way—Chipso's extra advantages are FREE!

Grocers sell Chipso in two large, popular-priced sizes, each fairly bursting with value.

However you wash, Chipso and water are all you need

FOR	FOR	FOR
Tub	Dishes	Speed
Boiler	and all	Convenience
Soaking	Household	Safety
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OUR DAILY PATTERN.



A Flattering House Dress style.

4927 Comfort and good lines are expressed in this charming "morning" dress. Petite or stocky, svelte or stout, you would be good for a dress of this kind. The width at the foot is 24 inches, with pleats extended. This is a fine model for women of mature figure.

The pattern is cut in 3 sizes: 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48 and 50 inches bust measure. A 24 inch wide waistline 5 yards of 24 inch material. Collar and cuffs are made of con-

trasting material. 1/2 yard is required.

A pattern of this illustration mailed to any address on receipt of 12c in coin or stamps by the Pattern Department, The Freeman, Kingston, N. Y. Be sure to state the size wanted.

Fashion Book Notice.

Send 15c in coin or stamps to The Freeman for our up-to-date fall and winter 1924-1925 Book of Fashions, showing color plates, and containing 500 designs of ladies', misses' and children's patterns, a concise and comprehensive article on dressmaking, also some points for the needle illustrating 20 of the various, simple stitches, all valuable hints to the home dressmaker.

MRS. GOVERNOR ROES ON BIG RAIL COMMITTEE.

By Telegraph to The Freeman—Washington, Jan. 7.—Invitations to the Colonial Ball to be held under the auspices of the Thomas Jefferson Memorial Foundation at the great new hotel, The Mayflower, are now being eagerly sought by society here and all over the east. The ball, which will be the most important social event of the season, will be held on the evening of February 21, and will be partly in commemoration of Washington's Birthday. Mrs. Minnie Roes, Andrews and Mrs. Gustav Hoyer, granddaughter of President Monroe, are in full charge of the arrangements and are issuing the invitations. Among the other prominent Washington women who are assisting in the arrangements are Mrs. Robert E. Lee, Mrs. Brockbridge Lane, Mrs. William Cabell Rives, Mrs. Walter Tuckerman, Mrs. William Corcoran, Mrs. Harry Brown and others. All these women have been prominently identified with the work of preserving Mount Vernon, the home of Thomas Jefferson, as a national shrine of patriotism

and are members of the exclusive group known as "Monticellians."

The Colonial Ball will be the most unique affair ever held in this city and more than five thousand invitations have been prepared. The demand for these has already shown that they will be insufficient and arrangements are being made to throw open the palm room, the dining room, the small ball rooms as well as the main ball room, which is the largest and most beautiful in this city. A feature of the ball will be the minut danced by men and women prominent in the older set and all of these will wear authentic costumes of the period of Thomas Jefferson. This will be the first great social event at The Mayflower and will serve as the opening of the new eleven million dollar hotel.

NEW PALTZ.

New Paltz, Jan. 7.—Miss Lane of Fishkill, who has been visiting her parents, the Rev. and Mrs. William J. Lane, has returned to school.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. DuBois of Wurts street were guests of a Mrs. William E. Edwards at Gardiner last Thursday.

Mrs. Andrew LaFosse and Miss Lucille Stephens entertained at cards last Friday.

Dr. and Mrs. Homer Stephens and daughter, Lucille, of Gardiner were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew LaFosse on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Simpson entertained friends on New Year's Eve at their home.

The Rev. F. Wilson gave a service at the church on New Year's morning.

When the ladies of the Good Fellowship Society entertained the new hands or friends at a chicken supper, Henry Friend was the guest.

Mrs. Lucille Stephens spent last week in York.

Mrs. John DuBois of Wurts street spent the holidays in New Paltz.

Mr. and Mrs. William E. Johnson spent the holidays in New Paltz.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Van Winkle spent the holidays in New Paltz.

and family at Stone Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Tamney were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Ward at dinner on Christmas night.

The Misses Kathryn and Mildred Bell spent the past week visiting relatives in Newark, New Jersey.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hasbrouck spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Hasbrouck.

Harry DuBois has been appointed inspector of Election District No. 1 in place of Martin Lee DuBois.

Mr. and Mrs. George Doves entertained Miss M. F. Selby of New Dorp, Staten Island, on Sunday and Monday.

Elmer Harp is now shooting at Ronke, North Carolina, the game of Lewis M. Borden and son, Gail Borden.

Miss Elizabeth O'Brien is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Vanden Mark.

Miss Edna Stern is the guest of her mother for a few days.

Many one course dinners were served on the town hall on New Year's eve. The hall was beautifully decorated. Music was furnished by Booth's orchestra of New Dorp.

Helen W. Free of North and Anna Lawrence of New Paltz have sold a piece of land in the town of Rochester to New man, James of New York.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kniffen entertained guests on Sunday.

The New Paltz college boys came to a basketball game at the town hall on Friday evening.

George Adams has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Adams.

Mrs. Zeila Reader of Poughkeepsie has been visiting in town.

John Markle was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Osterhout at Middletown on Wednesday.

Lee Mabel Post and the Misses M. and Mrs. E. L. Osterhout, who have been visiting at their homes in Washington, have returned to

their studies at the Normal.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fitch visited in Poughkeepsie last week with their son, Floyd and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Schoemaker entertained Mr. and Mrs. William Wright and family on New Year's day.

Mrs. L. A. Hasbrouck, who is attending school at Hackensack, N. J., has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe E. Hasbrouck.

Miss Mary Gaffney was a recent visitor in Poughkeepsie.

Miss Thomas Shaffer spent a few days in New York city with friends.

Joseph Dore was called to Fort Lauderdale, Florida because of the illness of his father, Andrew L. F. Dore.

Kathleen V. Cumster and John Vanderlin were business callers in Poughkeepsie on Tuesday.

ENTERTAINMENT AT RIVIERA THEATRE, ROSENDALE.

Riviera Theatre at Rosendale recently underwent many improvements in electric lights, decorations, stage-effects, box-office, etc. The fire laws are strictly enforced and the safety of the audience is assured. There is both police protection inside and for cars outside.

On Saturday nights a dance is conducted and is very largely attended. Each Sunday evening there is a high class phonograph concert and five acts of vaudeville staged. The performers come directly from New York by motor each Sunday. The affairs are under the personal supervision of the Rev. Frank M. O'Reilly, pastor of St. Peter's Church, Rosendale, and have been very successful. Father O'Reilly would be a regular every World War returns to a country where of New York musical comedians, including "The O'Brien crew." He is the author of numerous songs.

To the Legislature:

appropriations were made by the Legislature of 1925, but sum would go from income tax cash balance. Therefore, the estimated cash balance on July 1, 1926, can be set forth at \$5,000,000.00. There will be carried over into the next fiscal year continuing appropriations of prior years amounting in round figures \$1,000,000.00.

Leaving an estimated cash, unincumbered surplus on July 1, 1926, after providing for all other commitments, of \$17,900,000.00.

It might well be referred to as the State's surplus clear money in the surplus account against which no person has any claim. The estimated revenue for the next fiscal year, as I have detailed it above, in this surplus which will have total estimated revenue beginning July 1, 1926, against which no appropriation may be made, amounting to \$73,741,824.50.

Income Tax and Direct Tax Reduction

I am satisfied from these figures that we can continue this year the rate of all State income tax payers and all private taxpayers at the last session of the Legislature. Leaving the taxes the same as last year, we will have estimated available resources of over \$170,000,000.

The Legislature of 1924 appropriated a total of \$158,125,187.06, including \$251,515.60, which will be refunded the federal government on account of post road construction, leaving a commitment of \$154,870,671.46 made by the Legislature of 1924. If all appropriations of 1925 are kept at or even near to the total appropriations of 1924, there will be a clear cash surplus of \$15,000,000.

Taxation a Universal Burden

I know that your financial committee will give careful attention to this statement as well as to all requests for appropriations of the State's money. The funds for running all of the State's activities come directly from the people. The rent payer, the property owner and even men and women whose occupations come under our system of indirect taxation are all deemed to share the burden, and there is no gainsaying that taxation by government is an important item in the present day cost of living. The vast majority of us have no one to whom they can pass the tax burden and their relief only come from wise and careful appropriation and expenditure of public monies.

Reasons for Increased Cost of Government

There is no difficulty in understanding a large part of the increased cost of government when we bear in mind that very many activities of the government are comparable to purchases made by private individuals. The State feeds and clothes thousands of soldiers. It purchases thousands of tons of coal and countless thousands of pounds of building material of all kinds. The State even faces a rent problem in a large part of the increase in cost is reflected in these very items as it is in the cost of maintaining its household and business institutions.

Local Taxation

The federal government and the State, because of their broader power and the ability to administer tax in respect to objects which from a very nature cannot be taxed to the individual are confronted with no serious tax problems. But with the counties, towns, villages and school districts the situation is different. The needs for revenue are growing and will grow more rapidly than those of the State and the federal government. On the other hand they are limited in some ways by tax rates and in all instances to one main tax reliance—property. The time will come, if it has not already arrived, when our entire tax system must be changed with the purpose in mind of giving relief to localities and securing equitable distribution of the burden of taxation.

Tax Relief Legislation

The Legislature of 1922, imposing the State tax and the tax on other monied property, leaves something to be desired. This law has been fertile in legislation and is lacking in the quality which every tax law should possess—equality, certainty, economy of administration and convenience to the taxpayers. These and other vexing questions are still unsolved and your best thought.

On the date of March 24, 1924, I sent a direct message to the Legislature with taxation and real estate as the sources of taxation. I recommended then the creation of a special committee to study this subject along the lines indicated in that message. The bill failed to pass the bill and the action upon the existence of a legislative committee for the purpose. I presume that your committee will report at this session asking your careful and serious consideration of their report. Upon receipt, if necessary, I will again communicate with your Honorable body upon this subject.

Water Power Development

I think of nothing in this State of such importance to the people as the immediate development of its abundant water power resources for transmission in hydro-electricity. Millions of tons of coal are burned in this State annually to generate heat and power, and millions of cubic feet of water capable of generating this power are running to waste. They are developed in the interest of people at the earliest possible moment the vital question is one of national policy. The State of Ohio and the various municipalities have received return income in the form of a share of the national revenue from the sale of their water power.

training for their duty. A unit of inspectors to handle the headlight situation has been organized. Reports of accidents and convictions are being received and a personal record kept of each driver. Hundreds of careless, incompetent and reckless drivers have been eliminated from the highways by withholding, suspending and revoking licenses. Sentences and revocations are being made daily, and statistics showing how, when and why accidents occur are being compiled. The outlook with respect to the highway safety problem is promising. Much remains to be done, but we have made a creditable start.

The Erie Canal

In considering transportation, I deem it highly important that we give careful consideration to the Barge canal and all of the known facts connected with it. No one can deny that the construction, maintenance and operation of the old Erie canal was a strong factor in the up-building of the commerce and business of the State of New York. At the time of its opening one hundred years ago there was a great demand for waterway transportation. In fact the Erie canal was responsible for the supremacy of the Port of New York.

Interesting also is the history of the tonnage carried on the old Erie Barge canal. Taking the six years prior to the abolition of the tolls— from 1877 to 1882, 32,538,646 tons of freight passed through the old Erie canal or an average yearly of 5,424,774 tons. The new Barge canal was really not opened for operation until 1919. Taking the six years from 1919 to 1924, we have 9,842,284 tons of freight carried or a yearly average of 1,640,481 tons. In making a comparison of these figures, it must be borne in mind that the new canal was designed to carry about four times the amount of freight that could pass through the old Erie canal in a given period.

Public Utilities

In my last annual message, I recommended that the present Public Service Law be amended so as to return to the localities of the State the power they had held over their own public utilities contracts until the enactment of legislation in 1921, which transferred the jurisdiction and power from the localities to a State Commission. I have yet to hear any fair and reasonable defense of that invasion of home rule. At the time that occurred and ever since, it has met with opposition in every large municipality of the State. This power should be returned to the municipalities and they should have a free hand to deal with themselves with the corporations with which they made contracts at any time in the past.

Port Authority

Our policy of developing the great Port of New York by means of a joint state agency with our sister state of New Jersey and of entrusting to this body the building of interstate connections, such as bridges and tunnels, is shown progress this year. In carrying out the program.

The Public Welfare

A large part of the activity of the Government of our State is devoted to the welfare of our people. New York State is a leader in welfare activities. Public health: institutional care, conditions of employment, education, housing, recreation, child welfare and the rehabilitation of the unfortunate, have continuously engaged our attention and will continue to require our careful consideration.

Public Health

Preservation of public health is an important part of the business of the State of New York. We know how to reckon its value. Our State Department of Health furnishes one of the best illustrations of what a consistent policy extended over a period of years can accomplish. The former Commissioner of Health, the late Doctor S. W. Hoar, was noted for his statement that public health is purchasable and he has well demonstrated it.

Protection of Oyster Industry

Since the public health has recently been threatened by infectious disease which has necessitated some special regulations of foodstuffs. These investigations made it apparent that many of the tidal waters of the State where oysters are grown are becoming grossly polluted. Inspection and regular tests of oysters and oyster marketing houses, and more rigid supervision of the oyster industry in the State of New York should be provided for to give greater protection to public health, so that this industry may not suffer and the public be reassured.

Medical Practice Act

As a result of numerous conferences with representatives of the medical profession and heads of the Education and Health Department, I am convinced that there is a menace to the public health in the very large and ever-growing number of persons who are practicing medicine without the sanction of the law withholding license or qualified to do so.

Improvements in State Hospital Service

Recommendations I have made to the Legislature in previous years for the improvement of the State hospital service have proved their worth. The new schedule for employees established in 1922 and the higher rates for physicians and employees to attend patients have enabled the State to provide better care for its insane than have been possible in previous years. Since the beginning of the war, the hospital service has been carried on in a low death rate and a

may be expected when the present serious overcrowding is remedied.

The Workmen's Compensation Act

It is gratifying to note that at the last session of the Legislature a number of important amendments to the Workmen's Compensation Law were passed, perhaps the most liberal amendments enacted in any session of the Legislature since the Workmen's Compensation Law went into effect.

I also recommend to you an extension of the present provisions of the Workmen's Compensation Law providing for compensation for occupational diseases. The law should be extended to cover other additional forms of occupational diseases, particularly silicosis and benzol poisoning.

I again recommend that the State should declare by law that the labor of a human being is not a commodity or an article of commerce and I further recommend that a bill be passed providing that no injunction be issued in a labor dispute without notice and without preliminary hearing to establish the facts. Many who have studied this subject are convinced that the present method of dealing with injunctions in labor disputes is not calculated to bring about substantial justice in the settlement of difficult labor problems, but on the contrary it is fostering a lack of confidence in our judicial system.

Child Welfare Laws

What greater act of thanksgiving can the State offer to Almighty God than the proper care of helpless children? I never feel greater pride in the State of New York than when I review the State's care of orphan children. We have put the protecting arm of the State with all its resources around them. By amendments to the statutes from year to year we are attempting after the death of their fathers to leave them under the influence of mother love, than which there is no greater in the world.

It is gratifying to note that in the course of the last year, five out of six recommendations which I made to commend these laws have been placed upon our statute books. These include an amendment to the Children's Court Act which removes the children of its jurisdiction from the criminal class and makes them wards of the State and the inclusion of several groups of dependent children not hitherto under the protection of these laws.

Abolition of the Parole Board

The present Parole Board is a small independent body consisting of the Superintendent of Prisons and two additional members who for an annual salary of \$2,600, plus all expenses give to the consideration of the manifold problems of parole about three days per month during ten months of the year. It is evident that only the most perfunctory procedure can be followed by this body in granting parole if we consider that in the limited time given each month our prisons must be visited, located and widely separated parts of the State. As a matter of fact, every convict's date for parole is entered upon the records of the prison the day he enters and deviations are made from this date only upon recommendation of the warden and the Superintendent of Prisons or in cases where a man is sentenced as a first offender when it is subsequently disclosed that he has a previous prison record. The Prison Industries Board, consisting of three State officials, two of whom are prison officials, are in fact a board of directors providing employment for prisoners. They are in constant touch with the men and know from their industrial performance when the men are likely to become law-abiding members of society. Parole, such a board would mean something not only to the State but also to the prisoners. Our experience with the new prison industrial system shows clearly the wisdom of my recommendations last year, and shows that politics should no longer stand in the way of carrying out these recommendations.

Housing

After repeated urging, the Legislature of 1923 created a permanent agency to study and aid in the solution of the housing problem. The House of Housing and Regional Planning, I believe your Honorable Body will agree, has already proved its value. At the last session of the Legislature it was able to furnish important and reliable information upon the extension of the rent emergency laws was based and the information by which the constitutionality of these laws was sustained. When these laws expire next year it will be a furnish you with a report of its continuous studies and an accurate survey of conditions. The Commission is fulfilling its purpose in many ways.

School Financing

The continued development of an educational program, which is essentially a State function, we recognize two major problems. One is concerned with finance, while the other relates to the pressing need for improvement in rural schools. If costs have been mounting rapidly but not out of proportion to educational needs or out of comparison with general economic conditions, the efficiency of our schools must be maintained at the highest possible standard.

Law Enforcement

The future safety of our government is dependent in a large degree on our ability to enforce our own laws. No community should be permitted to select for itself the law which it desires vigorously enforced and the law which it prefers to evade.

and equal enforcement in all parts of the State.

Included among our laws is the called Volstead enactment of Congress, and whether or not we are accord with it, it is nevertheless law, and like all other laws it must be enforced.

National Guard and Naval Militia

The present strength of our National Guard is 22,287 officers and men and of the Naval Militia, 1,756 officers and men. Both organizations are in a healthy condition and are prepared and ready to meet the responsibilities placed upon them by the Federal Government when they are placed in the first line of defense of the nation. The officers and men are entitled to the very last degree of thanks and encouragement of the State.

Local Enforcement

The State, following its custom many years, delegates its police power to municipalities and, reducing to the whole question to a few simple words, a municipality gets the degree of law enforcement which it is willing to pay for. The first operation under penal and regulatory statute begins with arrest. If violators of the law are to be apprehended, the localities must provide sufficient policemen, constables or peace officers to make the arrests.

The whole question of enforcement of the federal act sustaining the Eighteenth Amendment is imbedded in insincerity and hypocrisy. We are suffering from too many statesmen who talk dry and act wet. Nothing is as difficult as trying to take both sides of a question. Lack of enforcement of this law undoubtedly pleases some part of our community. Strict enforcement pleases another part. We believe in democracy, equal enforcement should please everybody. Those who seek to carry water on both shoulders on this question are bidding for the approval of the dry by a promise of more law. It is only common sense to state that you cannot enact laws enough to fill the State Library with books, but unless you enforce them, they are useless and are familiarly referred to as "dead letter laws." Any sensible man or woman can readily realize that we have law enough but what we lack is enforcement. That under our system is the matter for the localities.

Direct Primaries

Democratic government has for its cornerstone a firm belief in the wisdom and judgment of the people to manage and control the affairs of their respective political parties. As a result of compromise with a great principle, we have in the State today two different methods of making party nominations for public office. Both cannot be right and the two only survive because of compromise.

Political parties in this State would for themselves the privilege of nominating their candidates by direct primary after a long and bitter political struggle. To have taken that right away, even in part, was to my mind a mistake. I, therefore, recommend an amendment to the Election Law that will place directly in the hands of the enrolled members of every political party the right to select all of their candidates for public office.

Corrupt Practice Act

During the last campaign ugly rumors of large sums of money being raised to influence the electorate drifted back and forth across the country and received widespread publicity in the press. Years ago this State, as a matter of good policy, passed statutes requiring candidates for public office and likewise political parties through their various committees to file with the Secretary of State a statement of the amounts of money contributed by their campaign leaders and by whom contributed. Undoubtedly, this has served as some check upon the corrupt practices that formerly prevailed in elections. Why not go a step further and let the people have the benefit that would come from a knowledge of who contributed and the amounts so contributed before election? It would be of assistance to the people in determining whether or not obligations were incurred by candidates, which might not be to the best interests of the State. It subsequently carried out.

Prohibit Motion Picture Censorship

Nothing is more abhorrent to the American idea of freedom and liberty than governmental censorship. It is in keeping with our ideas of freedom of worship or freedom of speech or freedom of the press. We have and again declared it to be the right of every citizen to speak freely and to publish his sentiments on all subjects, being responsible for abuse of that right, and we have prohibited by our fundamental law passage of any act to restrain or abridge liberty of speech or of the press.

Request for Legislative Cooperation

I have given to all the subjects with which I have dealt in this message the best thought of which I am capable. I make every recommendation in this message firm in the belief that it is in the best interest of the State. If ever a man had reason to serve this State with all his heart and with all his heart, I am that man and I ask of the Legislature that it cooperate with me. I invite it. I seek it. I will be ready to work with the leaders and members of the various committees at any time. In fact, I would be well pleased to have you to invite me at any time to deal the course of the session to either either branch of the Legislature or both in joint session, on any subject on which I have written in this message.

LATEST NEWS OF NEW YORK STATE FARM ORGANIZATION

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Dairymen's League Buys Another Milk Company

The Dairymen's League Cooperative association, Inc., has purchased the business and properties of the M. Evans Dairy company, which has a large retail family trade in Kingston and Queens counties. The transaction will take place on Jan. 1, 1925.

G. W. Slocum, president of the dairymen's organization, says that twelve county plans embraced in the deal will be retained and operated under the association in furtherance of policy to extend its fluid markets for the milk of the association's members. The association, Mr. Slocum adds, has contracted to sell the other end of the business to Borden's Food Products company.

The W. M. Evans Dairy company's city properties include a pasteurizing and distributing plant at 32-34-36 Livingston avenue, Brooklyn, three additional distributing stations in Brooklyn and one in Queens.

Twelve county plants, all with milk shipping stations, are located as follows: Easton, Delaware county, N. Y.; Newton, Sussex county, N. J.; Bridgeville, Warren county, N. J.; East Homer, Cortland county, N. Y.; South Gilboa, Schoharie county, N. Y.; Winterton, Sullivan county, N. Y.; Central Square, Oswego county, N. Y.; West Monroe, Oswego county, N. Y.; North Brookfield, Madison county, N. Y.; Ninevah Junction, Broome county, N. Y.; Lynn, Susquehanna county, Pa. and Monticello, Bradford county, Pa.

The Evans Dairy was founded in 1878 by the late W. M. Evans, who operated exclusively for a time on the Williamsburg section of Brooklyn. His son, William C. Evans, bought the business in 1904 and launched it on his own hook with seven wagons and ten horses.

Mr. Evans rapidly built up trade. Today the company is operating 23 retail routes. The concern was incorporated under its present name in 1913.

The league also purchased the country plants and city business of the Clover Farms company.

Farm Bureau Protests Increase in Parcel Post Rates

A protest against increasing the parcel post rate has been made to Hon. George H. Moses, chairman of the sub-committee on postoffices and post roads of the senate, by E. B. Reed, Washington representative of the American Farm Bureau Federation. Mr. Reed points out in his letter to Mr. Moses, copy of which has been received at the headquarters of the New York State Farm Bureau Federation, that according to a recent study made by the postoffice department the loss sustained in carrying fourth class parcel post material is only \$7,000,000 while the proposed increase will bring in \$12,000,000. The letter goes on to say:

"From your familiarity with the establishment of the parcel post, I feel sure you will recall that it was originated with the view, primarily, to serve the farmers. I believe no one will dispute the fact that it has been, and still is, a very important factor in connecting the country with the city, and from that standpoint, if not from no other, it is not strictly a government commercial enterprise, in which should pay dividends or which must necessarily be operated at a cost. The feelings of the farmers on this subject, I believe, are directly reflected in the resolution passed Dec. 10 at the last annual meeting of the American Farm Bureau Federation. This reads:

"We are opposed to placing any additional burdens on the parcel post system to meet increased salaries of postal employees or by reason of a relocation of costs of handling postal matter. The service of the parcel post may well be extended through a more equitable adjustment of the entire postal system."

Federation Secures Siding for Orleans County Farmers

The very valuable service of the farm bureau federation in transportation matters affecting the interests of New York state farmers has been demonstrated recently to farmers between Albion and Faucher in Orleans county, according to a report of E. V. Titus, transportation director of the federation.

Farmers in this vicinity have long had the need of a siding for handling agricultural freight and for two years waiting to interest the railroad in installing such a siding. Their efforts met with no results, however, until the case was put in the hands of Mr. Titus who held the case before the New York office of the railroad in question. Representatives of the railroad have recently agreed at Albion to make the necessary arrangements for the switch. It is expected that this siding will save farmers in this vicinity a three-mile haul and will result in a decrease in that district of agricultural shipments.

State Will Be Sold at Syracuse

The fifth annual sale of Holstein and Jersey cattle by the New York State Agricultural Experiment Station will be held at Syracuse on Jan. 1, 1925.

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Hoover Shows Radio Needs

Secretary of Commerce Comments on Phenomenal Growth of the Industry—Distribution Methods Needed.

By Telegram to The Freeman.
New York, Jan. 6.—Phenomenal development of radio as an American industry is stressed and need for more careful instruction to purchasers of radio in the use of their sets is pointed out by Herbert Hoover, secretary of commerce, in a message to the radio industry and public broadcast through Radio Retelling. The cabinet officer shows much remains to be done by the seller and user of radio before the maximum of benefits of this new agency of communication will be realized, and says reforms are needed in distribution methods.

In full, Mr. Hoover's message reads: "No industry has had the phenomenal development that has radio, and few are the industries whose products have as broad an appeal to men, women and children alike in city and country. It is inherent, therefore, as our experience is proving it, that the distribution of radio should have broader channels, and a greater number of classes of retail outlets than almost any other fabricated product, in order to serve properly this widespread demand.

"When it is realized that such a system of distribution has been the development of only the past three years, it is a credit to the flexibility of the American business man and engineer that the results obtained have been as gratifying as they are. However, great as this distribution network has already become, it is apparent that there is yet much undeveloped area in which efficient merchandising will make radio more useful to the citizens of the country, and that there is room for improvement in the methods through which radio equipment passes from the manufacturer into the home of the user.

"It is my ideal, and I hope it will be that of the merchandisers of radio apparatus, that this new great instrument of education and entertainment, placed in our hands by science, shall be expanded along the lines that will give us maximum benefit. The technique of radio broadcasting is daily being improved upon and the efficiency and reliability of instruments for reproducing this broadcasting are likewise being perfected. But the efficient and successful use of this reproducing equipment is too often left to the initiative and resourcefulness of the individual purchasing it, and to my mind there is need in this country for the merchandising of radio equipment in a manner whereby each buyer of receiving equipment will be taught not only how to use it so as to obtain satisfactory results, but in addition how to avoid abuse of the privilege of having in his home an instrument which permits him to receive the news of the day of the entertainment of the hour from almost any section of the country he wishes.

"Science has contributed its full quota to making radio the blessing to humanity which it already is, but it is my feeling that more must be done by the merchandiser and the individual user before we attain the maximum benefits which this country has every reason to expect from this new instrumentality of communication."

CAR COSTS LESS THAN BUTTER AND EGGS.

"Costs less per pound than butter," says an announcement concerning the Studebaker Standard Six duplex phaeton, made by local distributors at Tusculum, Ala. Then follows a list of the market prices of ordinary household commodities, led, of course, by the price of the automobile which, at list price, figures at 40 cents per pound. In the list are these prices:

Studebaker, per pound 40 cents
Butter, per pound 57 cents
Eggs, per dozen 75 cents
Tea, per pound 80 cents
Coffee, per pound 50 cents

The announcement was directed toward women. It put the purchase of a car in a new light, inasmuch as the tea, butter and coffee were used up in a short time, while the Studebaker's enduring value was like a brand of her kitchen ware, "wear-ever."

CITY HOME INMATES WERE ENTERTAINED.

Last Friday night the Christian Endeavor Society of the Watts Street Baptist Church, journeyed out to the City Home and gave the inmates of that home a New Year's entertainment. After a very pleasing program, Santa, who was just returning home from his long trip, made the inmates of the home very happy by his presence there, this being the first time that Santa has ever visited them in person. After Santa, with the assistance of two of his helpers, had put on a little sketch entitled, "O Peep at Santa," he gave to each of the inmates very useful gifts. After all had joined in singing Christmas songs, the friends from Kingston returned home greatly benefited by the trip.

WITTENBERG.

Wittenberg, Jan. 6.—J. J. Vull, manager of Wittenberg, expresses his thanks to the Woodstock Fire Company and to all who responded so quickly at the call in saving their valuable assistance in extinguishing the fire which occurred at his place on Saturday, December 27. Mrs. Arthur Gardner died at her home on Monday evening, January 5, at 1 o'clock. Much sympathy is extended to the bereaved family in their great loss. Ruth Short, who has been employed in Kingston, is home for an indefinite time. Van D. Pennington, who was in New York City.

Stop Child's Cough Quick-To-day

Before it has a chance to develop into a chronic or something dangerous, get right after that cough of your child's. No time to lose with ordinary cough syrups. At once give Kemp's Balsam—a fine old-fashioned tried and proven medicine safe for children. It breaks the throat and prevents the cold from going through the whole system. Only 50 cents at all stores.

For that Cough KEMP'S BALSAM

THE OFFICE CAT



(By Junius.)

No, Fatima, not all designers of evening gowns and bathing suits come from Missouri. Appearances are often deceiving, however, and your mistake was a natural one under the circumstances.

A doctor says that anger is caused by a tiny organ the size of a pin point. Something of that size carefully placed on a chair will do it every time.

"I made him what he is" usually means "He worked for me before he made his reputation."

She Cured Him.
Mrs. A—How did your husband get over his illness so quickly?

Mrs. B—I threatened to send for mother to take care of him.

Better.

She—And when we're married you won't come home and growl about the meals?

He—My dear, we'll dine exclusively at restaurants and then we can both growl about the meals.

No, I won't sing again, it is late and neighbors, the young lady said. Go ahead, they poisoned my dog last week.

How About That, Men?

No, Genevieve, a bridal party has nothing to do with horses.

North—Do you let your wife have her own way?

West—Absolutely. And when it comes to rain I let it rain and when it wants to snow I let it snow.

When you lose faith in the of home town go talk to a real estate dealer.

The jilted lover who blows his brains out has to be a good shot.

A more mortal man never realizes how weak he is until he tries to quit smoking.

The Flapper's Rubayat.

A box of chocolates underneath the tree.

A coca-cola, "Flaming Youth" and three.

Beside me puffing Camels gracefully.

O such a life were Paradise for me.

Wife (in a huff)—Oh, you needn't think you're so wonderful. The night you proposed to me you looked absolutely silly.

Hubby—A coincidence. The fact is I was absolutely silly.

I'll never get over this as long as I live, said the hen as she surveyed the ostrich egg.

There's a purchase that gives me satisfaction every time I look at it, remarked the convicted fellow as he looked at the mirror.

Maude says her husband distracted her on their honeymoon.

How?

On the steamer she wanted the other passengers to think an ocean trip was an old story to them, but almost as soon as they went on board she pointed to a row of life-buoys and asked the captain what was the idea of all the extra tires.

The very first thing that you see when a girl takes off her hat is an invisible hair net.

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AMERICANIZATION DAY TO BE OBSERVED SUNDAY

Nearly 14,000 Presbyterian Sunday School children throughout the United States will observe Sunday, January 11, as Americanization Day, the purpose of which is to provide funds for the continued support of immigration work being done for immigrants in America.

Immigration work is being done by the Presbyterian Board of Christian Education in that country to make a special contribution to this work, as well as to objects of a general nature.

The occasion, the collection will be appropriate in the spirit of the Americanization movement, which is giving the Bible to people of more than 20 different nationalities in their own familiar languages, and to other similar objects of general interest.

CHILDREN'S HOSE

Children's fine ribbed black hose, broken line sizes, mostly 5 to 9. Regular price 25c and 45c.

Pre-Inventory Sale, 29c.

EXTRA SPECIAL—HUCK TOWELS

Small assortment of soiled linen towels, easily laundered, worth \$1.25 and \$1.50 each. Come early for these.

Pre-Inventory Sale, \$1.00.

INFANTS' DRESSES

Infants' White Dresses, for boys and girls, hemstitched, tucked and lace trimmed, 6 mos. to 2 yrs. Sold for \$1.59 & \$2. Pre-Inventory Sale \$1.00



Odd Lot Underwear

Muslin underwear can always be used, winter or summer. These fine nain-sook chemises, gowns, petticoats and other odd pieces, are priced for quick selling, some only muscled or soiled. Pre-Inv. Sale. \$1.50

MEN'S CARTER'S UNION SUITS

Men here is a wonderful opportunity to buy your underwear for next spring. This is the famous Carter make of light weight drop seat union suits. All sizes and several different qualities, but not all sizes of a kind. These are discontinued lines. Value \$2.75 and \$3.50. PRE-INVENTORY SALE

1.79

BLACK TAFFETA

36 inch Black Taffeta, suitable for under linings and petticoats, chiffon finish. Value \$1.75.

Pre-Inventory Sale \$1.10

SATIN STRIPED TAFFETA

All black satin striped Taffeta, fine for lining coats, 56 inches wide, was \$3.00 yard.

Pre-Inventory Sale \$2.00

MIXED SUITING

55 inch Mixed Suitings, all wool. Value \$2.50 and \$3.00.

Pre-Inventory Sale \$2.19

FINAL MARK DOWN OF COATS

ONE LOT COATS

Special lot of Winter Coats, big value for someone. Worth up to \$35.00.

Pre-Inventory Sale \$10.00

ONE LOT COATS

Another Special lot of Coats about one year old, fine for auto use. Value we will not say. See them.

Pre-Inventory Sale \$5.00

INFANTS' UNDERWEAR, odd lot of underwear,

consisting of sleepers, gowns and petticoats. Pre-Inventory Sale, each..... 75c

WOMEN'S SWEATERS—Women's brushed wool

sweaters, with and without collars, all sizes and colors, must go before inventory. Value to \$5.50.

Pre-Inventory Sale \$4.75 & \$5.75

CHILDREN'S SWEATERS—Children's wool sweaters made in

coat models and shawl collars, sizes 6 to 14 yrs.

Prized Special Pre-Inventory Sale..... \$4.25

SLEEVELESS JACKETS—Little lot sleeveless jackets, red, open,

tan and white. Sold for \$2.50.

Pre-Inventory Sale \$1.79

SILK OVERBLOUSES—One lot of silk overblouses, in long and short

sleeves, mostly all light shades, gold, flame, tan, powder blue, peach and brown. Value \$5.75 to \$15.50.

Pre-Inventory Sale \$4.19

CARTERS FOR BOYS—Babington

combinations suits for boys, especially suitable for early spring.

Value \$5. Pre-Inventory Sale \$2

CHILDREN'S COTTON PANTS—These

are of med weight, and of wonderful value. Value 75c.

Pre-Inventory Sale 25c

ROOTS WOOLEN PANTS—Here is a

splendid opportunity to purchase

Roots warm garments for the little

ones, sizes 30-34. Value \$1.50.

Pre-Inventory Sale 50c

The Wonderly Co.

SUCCESSORS TO S. M. HART & CO.
INCORPORATED

515 N. 11th St., Kingston, N.Y.

MEN'S SILK SOCKS

Sample lot of Men's Silk Socks in sizes 10 to 11 1/2, which include plain, fancy and clocks. Regular price \$1.25 and \$1.50.

Pre-Inventory Sale, 75c.

EXTRA SPECIAL—SHEETS

Here is an opportunity to buy sheets for a small price. Made of good quality muslin, yes, seams, size 41x90 inches no starch. You will save money on this buy.

Pre-Inventory Sale, \$1.39.

JANUARY PRE-INVENTORY SALE

Starts Thursday, January 8th

That we may start our year—which is February 1st—with a clean stock, we will offer to you an attractive lot of merchandise, taken from our shelves and not purchased for sale—at this Our Pre-Inventory Sale. This merchandise consists of broken and odd assortments of standard quality goods. Our sales have always been looked forward to because of the wonderful values that are offered.

CHILDREN'S OUTING GOWNS

Children's Outing Gowns, slightly soiled, sizes 5 to 14.

Were \$1.59. 79c

Pre-Inventory Sale

ODD LOTS OF CORSETS

Every year we put on a Special Sale of Corsets, and here it is again this inventory time.

ONE LOT CORSETS of discontinued models, all Royal Worcester. 50c

Pre-Inventory Sale

ONE LOT CORSETS, all standard makes, Bon Ton, Frolaset, Gossard, Royal Worcester. \$1.00

Pre-Inventory Sale

ONE LOT OF CORSETS, all standard makes of the higher grade lines, not all sizes in each model, but good assortment. \$1.50

Pre-Inventory Sale

ONE LOT BRASSIERES, narrow bandeaux. 15c

Pre-Inventory Sale

ONE LOT BRASSIERES, some lace and embroidery trimmed, not all sizes, but all standard makes. \$1.00

Pre-Inventory Sale

DOMESTIC SPECIALS

LINEN TOWELS—A few dozen all linen towels, white and colored borders, good size and quality, sold for 50c

69c. Pre-Inventory Sale

TURKISH TOWELS—A good everyday towel, medium size, all white. 50c

Special, each

LINETTE—This is the genuine linette stamped on selvedge, full range of colors, nothing better for underthings, always selling for 59c yd. 50c

Pre-Inventory Sale

EXTRA SPECIAL

LONG CLOTH—Again we offer you this year that fine long cloth for underwear, in 10 yard pieces, limited quantity to sell. Regular price for piece, \$2.75.

Pre-Inventory Sale \$2.39

GLASS TOWELS—You can always use glass towels. Why not get a supply at this time of these specials.

Value 39c. 29c

Pre-Inventory Sale

SOILED GOODS—Small lot of soiled table cloths and napkins, all marked at reduced prices.

FRUIT OF THE LOOM—45 inch Fruit of the Loom Pillow Case Muslin.

Regular Price 45c. 39c

Pre-Inventory Sale

PERCALES—Rumson Percales, a fine finish cloth similar to Punjab same count thread, all new spring patterns. Pre-Inventory Sale yd 25c

CLOSE OUT OF GINGHAM DRESSES

We have a small assortment of good Gingham House Dresses to close out before inventory, checks and stripes. \$2.29

Value \$2.95. Pre-Inventory Sale

BUNGALOW APRON

Checked Gingham and Percale Aprons, value to

\$2.25. Pre-Inventory Sale

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CHILDREN'S GINGHAM DRESSES

Children's Gingham Dresses do not change in style very much, you can buy now for summer, 6 to 14 yrs. Mostly long sleeve. Regular price \$2.50 and \$2.75.

Pre-Inventory Sale \$2.19

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CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

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FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Furnace one of new and used perior stoves, kitchen ranges, combination coal and gas ranges, second hand furniture, bought, sold and changed. Free quotes for all makes of stoves. M. Kaplan, furniture, stoves and floor coverings, 66 North Front street, up town. Telephone 2043. Open evenings.

FOR SALE—Seasoned wood: \$5 per truck load; sawed or split. H. Clearwater. Phone 2409-W.

FOR SALE—John F. Jolke's Good Luck Butteville, W. H. Johnson, agent, 81 West Pierpont street. Phone 1029.

FOR SALE—Several used upright pianos, in good condition, for sale or rent. Fred C. Winter, Clinton avenue Phone 1133.

FOR SALE—Photo supplies, films, plates, cameras, printing paper, etc. O'Reilly's, 520 Broadway.

FOR SALE—Ice, \$2.00 per ton. John A. Fischer, Abner street. Phone 1378.

FOR SALE—YOUR REFLECTION in the mirror is but temporary. Let us make it permanent. Pennington Studio, 72-74 Main street.

FOR SALE—Seasoned cord wood, either stove or fire place lengths. Vogel's, 22 Abner street.

FOR SALE—Sherrill's dog food and remedy. Parole, oranges and 100 lb. Sugar. Shop, corner Broadway and St. James street.

FOR SALE—Salt hay. Ed. T. McGinn.

FOR SALE—At once, mahogany dining room table. Call 730-R.

FOR SALE—Ice piers and tools. John A. Fischer, Abner street. Telephone.

FOR SALE—Bed, springs and mattress. \$20. Call 1233-J.

FOR SALE—Rugby sewing machine, table and dresser. 36 Van Buren street.

FOR SALE—Sterling upright piano, cheap. Phone 2341-J.

FOR SALE—Fresh laid eggs. 11 South Wall street. Phone 1241.

FOR SALE—Baled hay, good quality, \$21 per ton, delivered at your door. S. Barnov, 49 Chambers street. Phone 782-M.

FOR SALE—China closet, dark quartered oak, curved glass front and sides, perfect condition, \$19, worth \$45, can be seen at 31 Green street from 9:30 a. m. to 12.

FOR SALE—Good piano. 18 West Pierpont street.

FOR SALE—Rugs, one \$12, one \$20, never used, at half of cost price. 215 Broadway, corner West Chestnut street.

FOR SALE—Electric player piano, cost \$300; will sell at great sacrifice. Make offer. Parades, 19 Railroad avenue. Phone 1217.

FOR SALE—Richardson & Boynton "Perfect" French steel range; reasonable. Doe Smith Garage, Clinton avenue.

FOR SALE—Levy baby carriage and basket, practically new. Phone 1669.

FOR SALE—Talking parrots. Phone 1851.

FOR SALE—Wood. I will give you a big load for \$500. Holst, Sankill Road. Phone 185-F.

FOR SALE—Used "Western Electric" washer, good condition, adjustable wringer, for \$50.00, cost \$75.00. Address "Western," care Downtown Freeman.

FOR SALE—Oak dining room table and six chairs, cheap. Phone 718-M.

FOR SALE—Hay, potatoes, corn, wheat, rice and straw. Telephone 16 F.

FOR SALE—Devil's Lake bait fish. 221 2nd avenue.

FOR SALE—Collie pup. 56 Chapel street.

FOR SALE—German Shepherd Poles dog puppies, 10 weeks old, bred by Remy von Koenigsberg, a direct son of the famous Pomeranian dog, out of an Irish bloodhound, German police strain, imported in the German and American Round Clubs; the very best breeding available. Seen by appointment only. Please respectfully write, wire or phone at 21 West street, Kingston, N. Y.

FOR SALE—White Rock cocker, 123 Highland avenue. Phone 1206-J.

FOR SALE—Barned Rock cocker, Julia Peters, strain at \$200 each; eggs, five and four pence, all hatched, 12 years old. Clifford Richards, Saugerties, New York. R. No. 1, Box 105.

FOR SALE—Three used tires, 24x4, Call evenings. 96 Washington avenue.

FOR SALE—Dressmaker's or tailor's table, \$35.00, covered top, also full size adjustable bed room, excellent condition. Phone 1170-J, or call 117 O'Neil street.

FOR SALE—Boston Bull female, two months, \$10.00. Kiersted Farms, Wrentham street.

FOR SALE—Three piece overstuffed suite. Inquire 92 Broadway.

FOR SALE—Three cord tires, 32x4, Bosch magnets, all perfect, cheap. Call evenings. 96 Washington avenue.

FOR SALE—Three quarter ton bed, springs, hair mattress, \$12. Call evenings. 218 Sixth avenue.

FOR SALE—Monarch unbreakable range. 163 Bruyn avenue.

FOR SALE—Sawed wood and second hand lumber, lot of 4 inch square pine. New loads to be set and sold. John A. Fischer, Abner street.

FOR SALE—Twelve chairs, Rhode Island Red pullets, 1200, 1200, 1200. Lees avenue, Kingston, Route 1.

FOR SALE—Bait fish. 120 Hunter street. No. 12.

FOR SALE—Persian silver gray and black kittens. 120 Hunter street.

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

FOR SALE OR RENT—New six room house, possession immediately. Phone 255-W.

FOR SALE—Six room house, bath, electric light, heat, range, lot 40x120; good location. \$20,000, cash terms. Sherrill Realty Co., Advance Building. Phone 1008.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Ten room house, double garage, up town. F. Dufrenoy, 250 Fair street.

FOR SALE—Furnace, heating house, city and village homes. For large house, call John H. Eckert, St. Remy, N. Y. Phone Kingston, 4-F-12.

FOR SALE—Nine room house and three lots, two on First avenue and one on Moore street. Inquire 53 First avenue.

FOR SALE—Brand new house, latest improvements. Phone 1851-J.

FOR SALE—A No. 1 garage, all equipped, on one of the best thoroughfares from New York to Albany; floor space of 100 cars; between 90 and 70 cars are stored by the month; the building will show you a great investment; \$22,500, part cash. Owner retiring from business. Please come great bargains in farms and boarding houses; real city property. A. S. Reynolds, 230 Washington avenue.

FOR SALE—Albany avenue residence, eight rooms and bath, all improvements; view of city, modern view. \$17,000; terms. W. H. Gill, 12 East Strand.

FOR SALE—Three family house, water, toilet, gas. 51 Murray street.

FOR SALE—106 acres near Newburgh, full price only \$3,500, \$500 cash required. Call for catalogue, Corbis Building, (Monday) and Friday. W. L. Burnett, Street Agent, Room 2, Corbis Building, Wall street.

USED CARS FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Ford coupe and Ford sedan in excellent condition; one 1924 Stephens touring car. Jack's Garage, 781 Broadway.

FOR SALE—Paid \$300 deposit on Reo Speed Wagon, will sell deposit for \$675. Inquire of Kingston Reo Agency, or W. L. Burnett, 300 Communipaw avenue, Jersey City.

FOR SALE—Light trucks, one ton Ford, one ton Dodge and Lorraine Speed. Phone 1271.

FOR SALE—Used cars. All makes. A. S. Reynolds, 230 Washington avenue. We pay the balance. See our list of cars in today's paper. Steamboat Garage.

FOR SALE—Nash seven passenger sedan; would consider Ford truck in trade. Telephone 2759-M.

WANTED.

WANTED—To buy and sell men's second hand clothing, jewelry, musical instruments, etc. Call or write 55 Strand street. Phone 227-W.

WANTED—Table boarders. 48 Clinton avenue.

WANTED—Log sawing done by the thousand. 182 Abner street.

WANTED—Day's work, also willing to take home; reasonable prices. 113 Abner street, third floor.

WANTED—Making radio boxes and canning chairs. Phone 125-W. 24 St. Marys street.

WANTED—Have your porch chairs re-upholstered. Call and arrange chairs. Van Kuren Chair Shop, 91 Garden street. Phone 200-R.

WANTED—Work by day or will take work home. Phone 278-M.

WANTED—Desirable building lot, in good location; state size, price and location. Address Box 20, Uptown Freeman.

WANTED—Desirable residence; must be in first class location, will pay cash. Address "A. B.," Box 7, Boulevard.

WANTED—More piano pupils for the January beginning class. Miss Gladys Raue, Phone 529-M.

WANTED—Weather stripping, metal, wood and rubber. Room, porch, installed. Roberts, Route 2, Box 100, Kingston, N. Y.

ANTIQUES WANTED.

I will be in Kingston for one week to buy antiques, starting January 6. It makes no difference if the furniture is broken. Address Harry Brand, General Delivery.

WANTED—Moving, \$4 per load. Do your own loading and unloading. Call 70 Broadway. H. Mones.

WANTED—If you think of renovating peeling, painting, set in touch with me. Longyear, 25 East St. James street.

WANTED—Dressmaking, remodeling and plain sewing. No. 10 Lindenman avenue. Phone 166-M.

WANTED—A place to board three children by good reliable people. Call Mr. Stout, 907-J. 520 Broadway.

WANTED—Someone to deliver three tons of ice per week, beginning in May. Golden Ice Inn, Uptown Park, N. Y.

WANTED—Dressmaking, remodeling and plain sewing. No. 1 Lindenman avenue. Phone 166-M.

WANTED—Properties in Ulster county, in or near High Falls, Tilton, New Paltz, Highland, Accord, Haverhill, Saugerties, West Nyack, etc. The City Realty Co., 100 Broadway, New York. Call at Corbis Building, Wall street, (Monday) and Friday, Room 2. E. A. Street, Farm Agents, Inc. W. L. Burnett, Manager.

WANTED—For adoption, baby girl, not over a week old. Address "Baby," Downtown Freeman.

WANTED—Light housework, in small family. 84 Downs street.

WANTED—Middle aged woman for general housework. Call 712 Uptown Post Office.

WANTED—Young woman, unmarried, for plain cooking and general housework. Call 712 Uptown Post Office.

WANTED—Stenographer, must be high school graduate and experienced. Address 11 to Box 12.

WANTED—Competent girl or woman for light housework. 36 West Chester street.

WANTED—Cook, may sleep home if preferred. Call 622 Uptown Post Office.

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FEMALES HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Woman for general housework, small family. Box 712, Uptown Post Office.

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MALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—One foreman and one assistant foreman, thoroughly experienced in burning brick; must have good references. Apply to P. O. Box No. 12, Downtown Freeman.

WANTED—Charcoal, married man preferred; couple without children; may be in city or in village. Apply R. W. Clifford, 30 Clatter avenue, Saugerties, N. Y.

TO LET.

TO LET—Four room flat, all improvements. Telephone 1256-J.

TO LET—Furnished, four and five rooms and bath, all modern improvements, heat supplied. Inquire Baker's, 35 North Front street.

TO LET—Six room flat, all modern improvements. 261 Fair street.

FOR RENT—Room, 612 Broadway, also building in rear for storage purposes or paint shop. Apply 612 Broadway.

FOR RENT—Typewriter, Underwood, L. C. Smith, Remington, etc. O'Reilly's, 520 Broadway. Phone 1000.

TO LET—Apartment, two large bright rooms, second floor. 87 Green street. Apply 132 Green street.

TO LET—Four room flat, Adams street, all modern improvements. Phone 551-W.

TO LET—Five large rooms, improvements. 41 Home street. Phone 324.

TO LET—Six rooms, part improvements. Phone 2409-W.

TO LET—Room and board. 15 Belvedere street.

TO LET—Seven room house, all improvements. Inquire 602 Broadway.

TO LET—Two four-room flats, some improvements, up town. Phone 1682.

TO LET—Five nice rooms, with improvements. 50 Franklin street.

TO LET—House, Clinton avenue, all improvements. Phone 547.

TO LET—Three rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Phone 2403-R.

TO LET—House. Inquire 15 Snyder avenue.

TO LET—Three rooms, furnished, 96 West Chestnut street. Telephone 73-J, after 7:30 p. m.

TO LET—Loft, suitable for factory. Central Garage, corner Broadway and St. James street, Kingston, N. Y.

TO LET—One large front room, furnished for housekeeping. If desired, improvements. 49 Maiden lane, ring two.

TO LET—Four rooms, all improvements. 18 Home street.

TO LET—Three nice rooms, with improvements. 153 Washington avenue. Phone 2311-L.

TO LET—Two or three room apartment, heat and light furnished; also single rooms. 317 Clinton avenue.

TO LET—Five rooms, all improvements. Call 204.

TO LET—Rooms. 217 Catherine street.

FOR RENT—Five rooms and bath, all improvements. A. Tucker. Telephone 1663-J. 311 Broadway.

TO LET—Three room flat, all improvements, steam heat, \$20. 70 Fair street. Phone 1230-W.

TO LET—Garage, St. James Court, Apply Kingston Gas & Electric Co. Phone 1100.

TO LET—Furnished room, with heat, \$3. 5 Wurtz street.

TO LET—Five rooms, all improvements; 259 Greenhill avenue; rent \$52. Phone 1230-W.

TO LET—Two four room flats, front and back. 61 Murray street.

TO LET—Four rooms for business or living purposes, all improvements. Inquire Liberty Restaurant, 201 Wall street.

TO LET—Farm, with stock, near Kingston. Address Box 31, Uptown Freeman.

Abandon Canals, Smith Program

Albany Believes Opening Gun of Fight Was Fired by Governor Smith in His Annual Message to Legislature.

By Telegram to The Freeman. Albany, N. Y., Jan. 7.—What is regarded in many quarters as the opening gun in the fight which is expected to be waged in the next few years to scrap the New York state barge canal as a transportation artery, was fired today by Governor Alfred E. Smith in his annual message to the 1923 legislature.

The governor presented the lawmakers with figures to show that the canal in and has for some years been a losing proposition to the state, and that hundreds of thousands of dollars are being spent each year on the canal which can never be recovered.

In his message, however, the governor pointed out that the canal, under the state's constitution, cannot be scrapped unless a majority of the voters of the state so decide.

After presenting all the facts about the canal in his message, Governor Smith suggested that the legislature create a temporary state commission to be made up of members of the legislature and some appointees of the governor to conduct a study of the whole question of the canal.

More than one occasion in the last year the suggestion has been made by public officials at the capital that it would be better to turn the canal into a huge power plant and sell the power to cities throughout the state, instead of trying to continue to operate the canal year after year at great loss.

Following the collision Tuley was arrested on a charge of assault in the third degree by the police department. Following several adjournments a jury trial was demanded and held Tuesday night.

Attorney Thomas A. Coughlin appeared for Tuley and Attorney Walter J. Miller for Olsen.

The jury was out twenty minutes considering the evidence and it was midnight when they reported their findings.

ST. PETER'S-NEW PALTZ GAME DEFERRED. Saints Will Play at Liberty on Saturday Night.

The game that was to be played between the St. Peter's Lyceum Quintet of this city and New Paltz, Thursday, has been called off by the New Paltz management. The game will be played at a later date. Saturday will leave St. Peter's Hall, Saturday at 6 p. m.

YOUTH VACATION. A Wonderful Opportunity!

Repeating her former highly successful career, S. S. TUSCANIA of the Canadian and American Lines will sail for our ANNUAL SUMMER CRUISE to the MEDITERRANEAN on July 4th returning Sept. 3rd.

A most complete itinerary covering all world-wide points of interest. Moderate inclusive fares. All particulars and illustrated literature upon request. THOS. COOK & SON, 255 Fifth Ave., NEW YORK 101.

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LOST OR STOLEN—Bank Book No. 2528 of Rondout Savings Bank. Payment stopped. If found return to bank. 20 First street. All persons are cautioned not to purchase or negotiate same. Reward. Leave at Freeman's, 20 Fair street.

LOST—Right hand chauffeur's glove, leather H. B. R. shoes and pair of H. B. R. gloves. Leave at Freeman's, 20 Fair street.

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Changes in India Related to Rotary

Speaker Tells Club of Revolution Now in Progress There—What The Y. M. C. A. Is Doing to Guide the People.

F. S. Coan, a Y. M. C. A. worker in India for six years, who was born and spent the first 14 years of his life in Persia, was the speaker at the Rotary Club luncheon today. He outlined the revolution in social, industrial and religious life in India which is now in progress and traced much of it to the experience of the 1,500,000 India natives who served in the World War and saw how others live. They not only saw how the whites live but lost some of their feeling that the whites are demagogues. Industrial progress is causing the villagers to flock to the big cities to work in factories. The educated class are losing their religion and becoming leaders of the discontented. The outcasts are holding conventions and demanding their rights.

The Y. M. C. A. is aiding in guiding the people by working along social and economic lines. It has established cooperative banks in the villages which loan money at 10 or 12 per cent instead of the 35 to 50 per cent charged by the money lenders, so that farmers and outcasts may buy seeds and tools and build houses. These banks deal in certain commodities in demand, such as castor oil and quinine, their patrons having demanded this side line. In cities the Y. M. C. A. gives industrial training and educates along sanitary lines. For the educated it provides a forum where they may discuss matters and associate with one another.

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Kellogg is known to be desirous of the attorney generalship. Charles B. Warren of Michigan, Justice Arthur Rugg of Massachusetts and Judge Frank S. Dietrich of Idaho are among others prominently mentioned as successors to Attorney General Stone.

Silas H. Strawn, prominent Chicago attorney, conferred with President Coolidge today, which gave rise to reports that he is under consideration for the attorney generalship.

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Farm and Home Bureau Officers

At a meeting of the Ulster County Farm and Home Bureau Association held Tuesday the following officers were elected to serve for the ensuing year: President, Millard Davis; vice president, Mrs. William A. Warren; secretary and treasurer, E. W. Hathaway.

The Home Department elected the following officers: Chairman, Mrs. William A. Warren; vice chairman, Mrs. Elmer Smith; secretary, Mrs. H. M. Eppes; delegate to state convention, Mrs. C. H. Hardenburgh; chairman financial committee, Mrs. J. Burwell Harrison.

New Commission Organized

The new Schoharrie damage commission recently appointed by Supreme Court Justice Howard met at the office of the New York board of water supply here today and organized by electing Claude B. Mayham, chairman. The other members of the commission are P. J. Shea of Troy and Andrew J. Sheridan of New York. The commission fixed no dates for taking evidence but the matter will be held open to give the attorneys of claimants an opportunity to prepare their cases for hearing before the commission.

CHAPLIN'S WIFE MOON TO BECOME MOTHER, IS REPORT

By Telegram to The Freeman. Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 7.—Lita Grey Chaplin, child wife of Charles Chaplin, screen star, is to become a mother. This was the word in Hollywood today.

"It's too early yet to say anything definitely but I think the time will be early this summer," Mrs. Chaplin was quoted today as saying by her friends in the motion picture colony.

Chaplin was married to Mrs. Chaplin, who was Miss Lita Grey, 14 year old screen player, at Guaymas, Mexico, November 24 last.

Mrs. Lillian Spicer, mother of Mrs. Chaplin, confirmed reports that her daughter was expected to become a mother this summer.

Our Growing Population.

The following Mittas have been reported to the board of health: Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Dunbar of Harter, a daughter, Eva, at Benedictine Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bodt of New Paltz, a daughter, Jeanette, at Benedictine Hospital.

FOUND.

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Gen. Wood Said to Seek Retirement

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The plane was tearing along at a high rate of speed near the ground, testing instruments used on the speed course, when the landing gears caught on the top of the truck and killed its occupants.

MANY RADIO STATIONS CHANGE WAVE LENGTH

KDKA and WSAI Have Exchanged Their Dial Positions.

Many radio fans have been unable to receive KDKA, a favorite station, for the past week for the reason that KDKA, Pittsburgh, and WSAI, Cincinnati, have exchanged wave lengths, each coming in at the position at which the other was formerly found.

WOC, Davenport, Iowa, another favorite station, changed its wave length to 485 meters. CNRM now uses 484 meters. It formerly was 241 meters.

WTP and WIO, formerly 509 meters, are now 510. KYM, formerly 524 meters, is now 525. WNYC, formerly 234 meters, is now 232.

Many other changes are expected, some of them merely tentative, in the effort to "clear the air."

Farm Agency in New Orleans

The E. A. Street Farm Agency, which formerly had an office in the Kingston Hotel, has opened an office in Room 2 in the Corbis Building, Wall street. W. F. Purshott, who was in charge of the former office, is the local manager and will be at the new office Mondays and Fridays.

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Olvin B. Brown, chief of the organization service bureau of the Department of Commerce of the United States, is coming to Kingsfish on Wednesday, January 15th.

The title of his address is "Your Place in the National Work." Members of the local body who hear this address will be given a broader view of the relationship which its activities bear to national betterment. In it he shows that the seven thousand chambers of commerce throughout the country, each striving to build a stronger and better community, are, in the nationwide head of that effort, helping build a stronger and better nation.

The organization service bureau, which Mr. Brown is the head, was created by the Chamber of Commerce of the United States in 1915 to direct service to chambers of commerce and trade associations that make up the organization membership of the National Cham-

ber. It has a staff engaged in continuous research work, the object being to determine the best form of organization structure, technique, methods of procedure in organization activities. It distributes this information through letters in answer to inquiry, through printed pamphlets and a semi-monthly letter to chamber of commerce executives. For years chambers of commerce throughout the United States have been looking to Mr. Brown's bureau in the National Chamber of Commerce for information that will help strengthen their organizations and make them more efficient.

There is probably no one so secret of the chamber of commerce in the United States as Mr. Brown. He is not familiar with the name. Mr. Brown has been doing for the past nine years, and 600 of them have called him personally into conference on problems or have invited him to dress their membership. He is constantly engaged for months, and calls are made upon him in every state in the Union.

A black and white photograph featuring two individuals. On the left is a man with a receding hairline, wearing a dark suit jacket, a white shirt, and a dark bow tie. He is looking slightly to his right. On the right is a woman with dark, wavy hair, wearing a light-colored, possibly white, dress. She is looking towards the camera. The background is plain and light-colored.

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deeds Recently Recorded With The County Clerk.

The following deeds have been filed in the office of the Tular County Clerk.

Charles W. Freer and wife to Ella M. Freer, a parcel of land in the town of Escondido. Consideration \$1.

Wm. M. Freer to Augustus Castle of Edgerville, a parcel of land in New Salem, town of Escondido. Consideration \$1.

James Hall and wife to Preston J. Orr and wife, a parcel of land in Glendale, town of Placerville. Consideration \$2,500.

Reuben Dubois and wife to David J. Dubois and wife, a property in the town of Gardiner. Consideration \$10,000.

Louis E. Roth and wife to David Dubois, a parcel of land in the town of Gardiner. Consideration \$10.

James W. Fleming, male com-

panion of John W. Fleming, of Gardiner. Consideration \$18,250.

Matthew to Murray to Harvey, a parcel of land in the town of Placerville. Consideration \$10.

Philip Van Hosen and Sonnerette to Laura A. Tish, others, a parcel of land in the town of Placerville. Consideration \$1.

Henry L. Payne and Reym Gumpsey as executors of A. Jones, to Jane H. Harcourt, one of the contrary side, a parcel of land in the town of Placerville. Consideration \$1,000.

George A. Taylor and wife to the State of Washington, one of the contrary side. Being a deed in the town of Placerville. Consideration \$1,400.

Mature Slowly

Nature that has much to give, ripens slowly and gently and is not ripe for action till it has passed the meridian of their lives.

Remember that last month you and
I were together in the same way
and are on the way to being on the way
toward the end of their years.
Berna.

The woodduck, unlike most other ducks, usually builds his nest far from his natural element, water, writes Ellis Gilmore MacLeod in St. Nicholas. But no sooner are the eggs hatched and the ducklings about the size of bumblebees, than each parent bird takes a little one in its bill, wriggles through the opening in the chestnut tree or white oak which harbors the nest, and, with a quick glance lest some enemy may lurk near, flies swiftly overland to creek or water hole. Here the two tiny burdens are dropped gently into the water.

Without previous swimming lessons, these newly hatched infants dart over the surface of the water for the cover of marsh grass or lily pad where they hide until the return of their parents with more of their brothers and sisters.

The commanding officer looked down the charge sheet to see what type of case he had to deal with that morning.

Suddenly he started.

"Mutiny!" he muttered. "Private King charged with mutiny!" Then aloud: "Where is the corporal who made this arrest?"

"Here, sir," answered a corporal, stepping forward.

"Do you charge Private King with mutiny?" was the stern inquiry.

"I do, sir," was the reply.

"On what grounds?"

The corporal hesitated for a moment. Then:

"Well, sir," he said, confidentially, "It was really insubordination, but I didn't know how to spell that, so I put 'mutiny.'"

Radiant (or visible) heat was emphasized by Prof. Leonard Billitt at a recent meeting of the London Zoological Society as "most useful in helping caged animals to fight against infection" from tuberculosis. Hot-water pipes, he pointed out, though an economical way of raising temperature in the animal houses, do not provide all the benefits of radiant heat, such as we know best in the form of sunlight and in another form, in the domestic coal fire. In fact, central heating—except in its place—is not healthy heating, as the prevalence of tuberculosis in steam-heating countries such as Sweden, Russia and the United States goes far to prove.

Although they often were made good in the gold rush to California, a few had no hope to pick up their fate. It is a cruellest that many of them and their brothers who were so successful walked right over the mountains in the northern part of Mexico, along the influence of Francisco, where many of them traveled along the river of the Wandering Sand, many were walked on their way to the Pacific coast. Little knowledge the later perspective would had a vision of all through their feet.

As the price continued to rise, the church was prepared to sell. Whether it was for the purpose of the church, or for the purpose of the church, the church was prepared to sell. The church was prepared to sell.

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H. T. O. E. Dear Going Good.

The money for the "Help the Yellow" campaign will continue to roll in. Every day sees the donations in their own personal files poured in the small yellow envelopes. Creating them is the pleasure of the "yellow" office. The "yellow" is a large silver dollar. The contribution in the "yellow" is a small silver dollar. The "yellow" is a large silver dollar. The "yellow" is a large silver dollar.

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Sun rises, 7:22; set, 1:59.
Weather, clear.

The Temperature.
The lowest point registered by The Freeman's thermometer last night was 20 degrees. The highest point reached up until noon today was 36 degrees.

Weather Forecast.
Washington, Jan. 7.—Eastern New York: Fair in south, partly cloudy, possibly light rain or snow in north portion tonight and Thursday; slightly warmer in central and south portions tonight, fresh south-west winds.

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By Telegram to The Freeman.
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Over in Europe they call him "The Flying Finn."

Hard boiled New York had heard that title and smiled to itself, a little skeptically.

Now New York knows.

And New York today belongs to Paavo Nurmi. Last night, running for the first time in America, among strangers in a strange land, Paavo Nurmi broke three world records.

One for the mile, one for the 1,500 metres and one for 5,000 metres.

His time for the mile was 4:13, one and three-fifths seconds faster than the former indoor world record mark made by Jole Ray. The time for 1,500 metres was 3 minutes 56 1-5 seconds and for the 5,000 metres 11 minutes 44 2-5 seconds.

Never before had Paavo Nurmi run on an indoor board track.

Nurmi literally ran the legs off Jole Ray in the mile race, in which Jole himself broke his own world record and then with the rest of a scant two hours, came back and (Ritola) into complete and abrupt section over the 5,000 metre route.

At the finish he smiled boyishly, almost shyly as 10,000 frantic, excitement-maddened fans rushed and crowded and pushed and yelled.

"Nurmi, Nurmi, Nurmi!"

It was in the mile that the flying Finn made his debut. The crowd fanned when he trotted out on the track. He looked too slender, too undernourished, too thin of chest, too boyish. New York had expected something unusual. They saw only a boy, a flaxen haired, smiling boy, a bit shy and a bit nervous from the strangeness of it.

Nurmi won the mile in the last lap, passing Ray like a blue-jointed flash. He bragged the tape fifteen yards in front. Ray was racing his heart out, trying to catch a shadow.

In the 5,000 metres he beat his ancient rival, Ritola, one of his best competitors when Nurmi set four world's records in the Olympic games.

These two men ran their mightiest and lost, lost because the hare cannot out race the antelope; human feet cannot catch the moonbeam.

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First Division Fight Tonight

Kingston Will Battle Paterson for Perfect Standing—Changes in Line-ups—Standing of Teams and Schedule.

The second half of the Metropolitan Basketball League season was started last week, and as a result of the games played Kingston, Brooklyn and Paterson are holding down the first division. The Morgenweckers continuing its great playing defeated Trenton at home and abroad. Brooklyn defeated Yonkers on the road and Greenpoint on the home floor, while Paterson took a fall out of the luckless Trenton Tigers at Paterson.

Paterson will endeavor this evening to continue with the first division teams, when it meets the local representatives. So will Kingston. Either Borgman and company or Morgenweck and squad will go down the ladder as a result of tonight's struggle.

Changes in Line-ups.

With Kingston, Greenpoint and Brooklyn showing all the class in the first half, the other three combinations are on the silent quest for additional talent. Yonkers, feeling that the influx of new blood will make its representatives a formidable combination before the end of the second half rolls around, have lined up in McElwain a youthful player who gives every promise of being just as much of a sensation among the newcomers as was Anderson of Greenpoint in the first half.

Yonkers also has in Stuchbury and Gengenbach, two more young phenoms only waiting to take their places as soon as some of the more experienced veterans show signs of faltering. Trenton has been a big disappointment all season. With a high salaried crew of veterans capable of holding their own in any kind of professional basketball company, the Bengal Tigers are not displaying the ability that they should, and unless they start ringing up some victories shortly, Manager Walters promises to make some wholesale trades.

Christian, Trenton has made the first move to follow Yonkers' lead in lining up speedy youngsters. Paterson has a well balanced combination that will make plenty of trouble in this half before they are put out of the running, as it has always been a characteristic of Silk City teams, since the formation of the Metropolitan League, that they are always to be counted on to be winners or contenders in the second half. Greenpoint and Brooklyn are standing pat for the time being, while Kingston made a good move in securing the services of Joe Dreyfus from Trenton.

Standing of Clubs Second Half.

Kingston 2 0 1,000
Brooklyn 2 0 1,000
Paterson 1 0 1,000
Greenpoint 0 1 1,000
Yonkers 0 1 1,000
Trenton 0 1 1,000

Schedule for This Week.

Tonight—Paterson at Kingston.
Friday—Trenton, open.
Saturday—Greenpoint at Yonkers.
Saturday—Kingston at Paterson.
Sunday—Brooklyn at Greenpoint.

EXPECT JOHNSON TO BUY VERNON CLUB

By Telegram to The Freeman.
Los Angeles, Jan. 7.—Walter Johnson, ace pitcher of the Washington champion club, was scheduled to arrive here today for the avowed purpose of purchasing the Vernon club of the Pacific Coast League.

Johnson, it was reported, plans to buy Vernon from Ed. Maier, who is known to be anxious to sell the Tigers for \$250,000 or thereabouts.

Ann Arbor, Michigan, and Reno, Nevada, capital was said to be behind Johnson in the proposed deal. Another report, however, had it that the Washington star would combine in the buy with William Lane, Salt Lake City mining millionaire, reputed to have just disposed of the Salt Lake Club of the coast circuit.

PUBLIC TESTIMONY OF BASEBALL SCANDAL PROMISED.

By Telegram to The Freeman.
New York, Jan. 7.—Promise that he will make public testimony in the case which resulted in the banishment of Jimmy O'Connell and "Cozy" Dolan, of the Giants, from organized baseball, is made in a letter received by New York baseball writers today from Commissioner Kenesaw M. Landis.

The commissioner promised, it was stated, that O'Connell's testimony will be made public within a few days. It has been withheld since last October, when Henry Sands, of the Phillies, charged that he had been offered a bribe "not to hear down" against the Giants, then in the throes of a hectic pennant struggle.

LOS ANGELES SEEKING PITCHER-GIBBONS HUNT

By Telegram to The Freeman.
Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 7.—Dick Donald, Los Angeles light promoter, today was awaiting an answer from Eddie Kane, manager of Tommy Gibbons, regarding a Los Angeles hunt between Gibbons and Laili Firpo.

Donald said to represent wealthy Los Angeles sportsmen, proposes to stage the Gibbons-Firpo match in Los Angeles Washington's birthday. He wired Kane proposing that Gibbons met Firpo here instead of in London, as is now planned.

Worms Won Game.

Manager Louis's Hornets of East Kingston continued its winning streak Tuesday evening, by taking two from the Crescent Five of this city by a 27 to 12 tally.

Gets Christmas Gift From White Sox



Eddie Collins, for many years captain and second sacker for the Chicago White Sox, has been appointed manager of the team to succeed John Evers. Eddie Collins said from his home at Lansdowne that he was delighted to get the chance to manage the Sox. "It's a mighty good Christmas present," he said. "It's too soon for me to say what I intend to do to give the Sox a winner," he continued.

Penn Made Great Record

Curious sidelight on the age of soccer football in different parts of the world is given by the Journal des Sports de l'Afrique du Nord de France. This paper reproduces a peculiar engraving discovered among some old books sold by a bookseller on the Quai des Grands-Augustins in Paris, in 1923, representing negroes playing football.

The fact that there were 11 players and that their attitudes were the same as football players of today led the paper to make a research into the origin of the game.

"In 1498," it says, "six years after the discovery of America by Christopher Columbus, the first Europeans who disembarked at Guinea were very much surprised to see that among the games played by the natives was a kind of football."

"The natives kicked the ball toward a player in the center, who alone had the right either to touch it with his hands or to return it with his foot. The game was played by 11 persons, 10 standing in a ring with one in the center. The ball was of leather filled with down."

Mention of the game in England dates further back still; however, repeated decrees prohibiting it having been issued all in vain by Edward III, Edward III, Henry IV, Henry VIII and Elizabeth, the first of these being as early as 1014.

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